WEATHER FORECAST

Victoria and Vicinity—Strong southeast winds or moderate gales, shifting to southerly; cloudy and mild, with showers.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Strong southeast to south winds or gales; unsettled, and mild, with showers.

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SPANISH INSURGENT ARMY FAST CLOSING IN ON CAPITAL CITY

Two of Four Key Points in Barcelona Defences Taken by Franco's Forces—Government Troops Retreat in Haste—Preparing To Defend Gates of City

HENDAYE, France, Jan. 21 (AP).—A Spanish insurgent army smashing toward Barcelona announced late tonight the capture of the important communications centre of Villaneuva y Geltru—the second of four key points in the Government capital's defences to fall today.

Villaneuva y Geltru, on the Mediterranean coast about twenty-three miles southwest of Barcelona, was reported captured by a column which almost kept pace with the one which was said to have taken Villafranca del Panades, twenty-two miles west and south of the capital, and to have pushed on two miles beyond the town.

The reported advances at these two points came after insurgents were driven back from a third key, Igualada, twenty-eight miles west and north of Barcelona. Late tonight, however, insurgents reported that Igualada was surrounded.

RETREAT IN HASTE

Capture of the two towns was said to have forced Government troops once again to retreat in haste toward Barcelona. They had formed a defence line running from Villaneuva y Geltru, on the coast, through Villafranca del Panades Igualada, and Manresa, twenty-eight miles northwest of Barcelona. Just after nightfall the insurgents were within ten miles of Manresa.

Unofficial sources in Barcelona had said earlier tonight that Igualada and Villafranca del Panades were menaced, but the official communique said only that fighting in these sectors was heavy.

Reports to the border said artillery batteries were being installed at Barcelona's gates and sandbag fortifications within the city.

(A Lerida dispatch said the insurgent Government, anticipating capture of the capital, ordered establishment of governmental machinery to take over the city).

GAIN IN FIGHT TO CUT COSTS

U.S. Senate Committee Rejects Proposal to Increase Big Relief Fund

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21 (AP).—United States Administration lieutenants suffered another thumping defeat on the relief issue today when the Senate appropriations committee rejected a proposal to add $150,000,000 to the works progress administration spending bill.

On a top-heavy vote of 17 to 7, the committee decided to retain the relief appropriation at $725,000,000—the sum voted in the House of Representatives and approved by an appropriations sub-committee.

President Roosevelt had asked for $875,000,000 and had warned that a $150,000,000 cut in the allotment would throw 1,000,000 persons off United States relief rolls.

SURPRISED AT MAJORITY

Administration leaders obviously were surprised by the big committee majority favoring the $725,000,000 allotment, but they immediately drafted strategy for a floor fight to increase the bill by $150,000,000.

They indicated they were not so confident, however, as they had been earlier that the Senate would restore the cut.

One Administration follower conceded the economy advocates might have sufficient votes now to retain the $725,000,000 allocation, but said the picture might be changed next week.

Mysterious Fire Puzzling Police

OREGON CITY, Ore., Jan. 21 (AP).—Police and firemen tonight were investigating a residential fire which seriously burned Mrs. Jennie Pierce, eighty-four.

Fire Chief E. L. Surfus said the fire occurred at 9 a.m., but firemen were not notified until six and a half hours later. Neighbors who found the elderly woman lying on the floor, her clothing burned from her body, said she apparently had not had a fire in her stove throughout the day.

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B.C. LEADER PLANS TOUR

R. L. Maitland, K.C., M.P.P., Will Visit Ridings on Speaking Circuit

Returning to the city yesterday after an organizational tour of coast areas, Captain M. F. Macintosh, M.P.P., newly-appointed Conservative organizer, announced a speaking tour of the province would be made by R. L. Maitland, K.C., M.P.P., Provincial Conservative chieftain and Leader of the Opposition, as soon as weather conditions make it possible to reach all ridings.

Setting out in the early Spring, Mr. Maitland will be accompanied by Captain Macintosh, Herbert Anscomb, M.P.P. and R. W. Bruhn, M.P.P., in an extensive circuit of provincial ridings. Arrangements will be made to have the party meet Conservative Associations at each point and to address public meetings, where they can carry the Conservative platform to the people.

TO TOUR INTERIOR

Captain Macintosh will leave on Monday on the next stage of his work, being a tour of Kettle, Okanagan and Fraser Valleys in a wide circle which will cover a considerable part of the Lower Mainland and the Southeastern Interior.

He reported enthusiastic meetings at recent rallies, including those in the Gulf Islands, and on the Lower Mainland. The leader's tour for later in the year is being counted on to set before the people the full programme of the party. For the present, organizers and officials are seeking every means of contact with the electorate to ascertain their views on the public issues of the day.

Encouraging success has attended the first steps towards reorganization under Mr. Maitland, Captain Macintosh said. The support of young people, in particular, has been marked, he stated.

FLOTSAM RAISES MYSTERY OF SEA

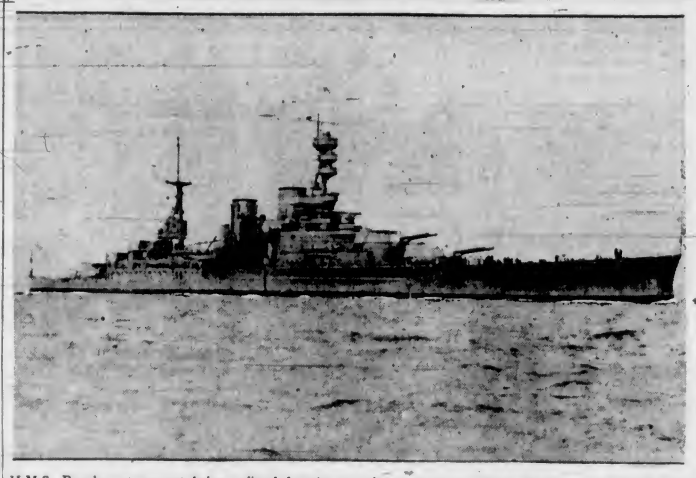
Stern Piece Bearing Inscription "Akutan" Washed Ashore in Oregon—Origin Unknown

ASTORIA, Ore., Jan. 21 (AP).—Fort Stevens engineers pondered a mystery of the sea today after discovery of the severed stern of a vessel bearing the gold inscription "Akutan," on Sand Island in the Lower Columbia River.

The engineers said the wooden segment, probably washed ashore during recent gales, appeared to be that of a tug or smaller craft.

Point Adams Coast Guard Station records showed two boats bearing the name "Akautan," but neither has been reported wrecked.

To Carry Royal Standard at Mainmast



H.M.S. Repulse, at present being refitted for the occasion, will bring Their Majesties to Canada next May. When the King and Queen embark at Portsmouth on May 8, the Royal Standard will be hoisted at the ship's mainmast and the Admiralty and Union flags at her yardarms. She will carry these flags throughout the royal tour whenever the King is on board. Two cruisers will escort the Repulse, probably the Southampton and Glasgow.

New Nazi Shadow Army Latest Move to Broaden War Footing of Germany

All Over Seventeen, Except Jews and Criminals, Must Serve

APPOINTMENT OF CONSUL RESENTED

BERLIN, Jan. 21 (AP).—The Nazi regime acted today to put Germany on the broadest war footing of her peacetime history through establishment of a vast "shadow army."

Chancellor Hitler's latest move followed swiftly upon dismissal yesterday of Dr. Hjalmar Schacht in a "Nazification" of the Reichsbank which observers felt would give free rein to an intensified rearmament programme.

The dismissal of Schacht, who was replaced by Dr. Walter Funk, Economics Minister, had caused George Rublee, American director of the intergovernmental refugee committee, to understand that negotiations for the emigration of German Jews had broken down.

Field Marshal Hermann Wilhelm Goering, Hitler's No. 1 aide, however, assured Rublee today that Germany was ready to continue the search for acceptable ways of sending her Jews abroad.

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Is Sentenced To Death by Regina Court

REGINA, Jan. 21 (CP).—Harry Heipel, twenty-four-year-old transient farm hand, was convicted by a six-man jury tonight and sentenced by Mr. Justice P. M. Anderson to hang here April 26 for the murder of J. A. Kaeser.

The wealthy sixty-five-year-old Moosomin district farmer was found dead in a field at Sintaluta, Sask., last November 9. He had been shot a number of times and left lying in the field, the slayer using his automobile to flee from the scene.

Lumber Industry of B.C. Makes Record Export to Britain

VANCOUVER, Jan. 21 (CP).—British Columbia's lumber industry toppled over another record last year, with an all-time high export to the United Kingdom, it was reported today by the Pacific Lumber Inspection Bureau.

Figures released by the bureau showed this province shipped 741,000,000 feet of lumber overseas to the British market in 1938 compared with 648,000,000 feet in the previous year.

Despite gloomy forecasts from month to month, shipments from British Columbia tidewater mills maintained a high level throughout the year, and in the month of December alone, 76,000,000 feet moved to the United Kingdom.

The province's total lumber export overseas in 1938 was 1,036,377,562 feet compared with 998,701,000 feet in 1937 and the record-breaking 1,042,954,000 feet in 1936.

Ottawa to Delay Appointment of Deputy Minister

No Decision Reached as to Whether Westerner Will Be Chosen for Fisheries Post—Question of Filling Vacancy by Promotion or By Outsider Has Not Been Settled

(Special to The Colonist)

OTTAWA, Jan 21.—The Government has decided to postpone until the end of the present Parliamentary session the appointment of a deputy minister of fisheries in succession to William Found who has retired, unless unforeseen circumstances arise, it was learned tonight.

Chances for the appointment of a Westerner were stated by three Cabinet ministers directly concerned to be "favorable," as Fisheries Minister Michaud is from New Brunswick. There has been no decision, though, tentative or otherwise, it was explained.

Reasons given for delay in the choice are that it must be decided if the vacancy is to be filled by departmental promotion or by an "outsider," and if an Eastern or Western man should be chosen. In the meantime, John Cowie, senior ranking official and director of fisheries promotion and inspection, has been named to "fill the gap" until retirement next June on reaching seventy years.

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RADIO ARTISTS MAY WALK OUT

Sponsors to Intervene Between Performers and Advertising Agencies

NEW YORK, Jan 21 (AP).—United States radio sponsors, in the No Man's Land of a wage battle between 2,000 of their performers and the advertising agencies which employ them, prepared tonight to intervene in a threatened talent strike.

The move, about which no details were available, was revealed by Charles J. Post, U.S. Labor conciliator, who has been trying to avert the projected walk out of actors, singers and announcers belonging to the American Federation of Radio Artists, an affiliate of the American Federation of Labor.

MUST SHOW FORCE

"It is the old, old story that despite our desire to arrive at an agreement by negotiation, we must show our force," said Eddie Cantor, big-eyed comedian and president of the American Federation of Radio Actors, in Hollywood.

Among those subject to a strike call, as members of the Federation are Edgar (Charlie McCarthy) Bergen, Bing Crosby, Rudy Vallee, Jack Benny, Phil Baker and many Hollywood movie stars. Lawrence Tibbett, the opera singer, and Jascha Heifitz, violinists, are vice-presidents.

EIGHT BURNED TO DEATH

McGREGOR, Ia., Jan. 21 (AP).—Eight persons, including four children, died of suffocation here late tonight in a blazing two-story brick building.

Sir Stafford Cripps Making Great Effort For Opposition Front

Again Staking Political Future Trying to Overcome Opposition of Labor Party Leaders to Consolidation of Anti-Government Forces

LONDON, Jan. 21 (AP).—Sir Stafford Cripps, aristocratic front-bencher of the Labor Party, has risked his political future in an effort to persuade the rank and file of the Socialist movement to veto the uncompromising opposition of the party leaders to a popular front against the Chamberlain Government.

Twice before this younger son of Lord Parmoor has risked expulsion from the Labor Party to champion causes which the executive, with an iron-fisted party discipline unknown in Canada, has turned down. This time he may not get away with it.

ABORTIVE MOVEMENTS

Ever since the Munich settlement there have been spasmodic movements to consolidate the anti-Government vote. But they landed nowhere largely because the Labor Party executive would not co-operate in a progressive movement.

The Labor leaders argued salvation would come from them alone and refused to work for any candidates but their own. They insisted coalitions were unworkable and the country must accept a full, undiluted Socialist platform of nationalization, public control, or something else.

SEEKING GRANT FROM DOMINION

Member Says Ottawa Should Give $1,000,000 So Bridge Toll May Be Dropped

(Special to The Colonist)

OTTAWA, Jan. 21.—The New Westminster bridge situation is coming up in Parliament this session. Tom Reid, New Westminster Liberal member, said tonight that he would urge upon the Federal Government this session that $1,000,000 Dominion compensation should be given the British Columbia Government because of the fact the old railway bridge presently utilized by three railways was handed over by the province to the Federal authorities "free" in return for the right to build the new motor and passenger bridge.

Mr. Reid declared if this compensation were granted, the British Columbia Government should abolish tolls on the new bridge. That is his objective.

TEN RESCUED AND THREE LOST IN FORCED LANDING ON OCEAN

British Flying Boat on Way From New Work to Bermuda Comes Down on Sea—Those Saved Are Exhausted by Ten-Hour Battle Against Cold Waves

Tanker Picks Up Survivors in Darkness as Hunt Organized

NEW YORK, Jan. 22 (AP).—The tanker Esso Baytown reported to the United States Coast Guard early today that she had found ten survivors out of thirteen persons aboard the British flying boat Cavalier which was forced down at sea between New York and Bermuda yesterday. The report said three were lost, apparently drowned.

The ten survivors were found clinging to life preservers, the plane, which had been forced down by heavy icing at 1:13 p.m. (10.13 a.m., P.S.T.) yesterday after leaving New York for Bermuda, having sunk ten minutes after landing.

The rescued passengers were:

Mrs. Donald Miller, Lincoln, Neb.; Charles M. Talbot, twenty-three, Brookline, Mass.; Miss Nellie Turner Smith, forty-one, Pembroke, Bermuda; Mrs. J. Gordon Noakes, Malba, N.Y.; Mrs. Edna Watson, forty-three, Bermuda, and Mrs. George Ingham, twenty-four, Hamilton, Bermuda.

The rescued crew members, all Britishers, were:

M. R. Alderson, captain; Neil Richardson, first officer; Patrick Chapman, radio officer, and David Williams, steward.

TWO HUSBANDS LOST

The following passengers were missing:

Donald Miller, husband of Mrs. Miller, and J. Gordon Noakes, husband of Mrs. Noakes.

Also missing was Robert Spence, steward, according to a wireless from the Esso Baytown, which effected the rescue. The message was received by the United States coast guard here.

Cold and exhausted by a life-and-death battle of more than ten hours against battering waves, the survivors were found by the tanker Esso Baytown.

Urgent messages for a doctor were sent to the United States gunboat Erie, which was nearby. Immediate aid was asked for the shaken survivors, some of them reported unconscious.

As the United States coast guard cutter Champlain arrived on the scene, piercing searchlights swept the desolate sea in search of the three missing persons.

A few terse words from the Champlain to the United States

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Historic Vehicle of The Lord Mayor to Have Its Wireless

NEW YORK, Jan. 21 (CP).—The gilded coach of the Lord Mayor of London will be wired for sound. The innovation was made known here with announcement Mayor Fiorello LaGuardia, en route from his New York home to the City Hall next Tuesday, will carry on from his auto a two-way conversation with Sir Frank Bowater, the Lord Mayor, riding in his coach from the Mansion House to the Guildhall.

GIVEN HONOR BY REGIMENT

Lieutenant-Governor Made Honorary Colonel of 5th (B.C.) Coast Brigade

Hon. Eric W. Hamber, Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia, yesterday accepted the appointment of honorary colonel of the 5th (B.C.) Coast Brigade, R.C.A., conferred upon him in recognition of his outstanding benefactions to the community, and in testimony of the high esteem in which he is held by the people of the province, in whose hearts, together with his charming and gracious wife, he has endeared himself.

In his appointment as honorary colonel, the Lieutenant-Governor fills the vacancy caused by the death of General Sir Arthur W. Currie.

OLDEST REGIMENT

The 5th Brigade is Western Canada's oldest regiment and has been an active unit of the militia of Canada for the past seventy-five years. In accepting the appointment, His Honor becomes the second honorary colonel in the history of the regiment, the late Sir Arthur Currie, commander of the Canadian Corps, having been the only other appointee.

Lieut.-Colonel Vincent McKenna, M.C., and officers of the regiment

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SEEKS CHANGE IN IMMIGRATION ACT

OTTAWA, Jan. 21.—Legislation amending the Immigration Act to prevent Canadian immigrants from being deported back to European countries where they may face death for "political reasons," will be introduced in Parliament this session.

A. W. Neill, Comox-Alberni member, announced tonight that he would introduce the measure. The bill is to prevent people who have not been in Canada long enough to become naturalized from being deported, because of trivial misdemeanors such as being forced to go on relief, back to countries where they may be liable to death for political reasons.

Mr. Neill said: "A British sense of justice demands that these refugees be protected. Our present immigration regulations are too strict."

Receives High Honor From Militia Here

HON. E. W. HAMBER

LIEUTENANT-Governor of British Columbia, who yesterday received the highest honor in the power of the 5th (B.C.) Coast Brigade to bestow, that of honorary colonel of the regiment. His Honor fills the vacancy caused by the death of General Sir Arthur W. Currie.

TALKS OF PLANS FOR ROYAL VISIT

Details Will Be Left to Local Committee, Under-Secretary of State Announces

E. H. Coleman, K.C., under-secretary of state for Canada, arrived in Victoria from Vancouver yesterday afternoon to discuss tentative arrangements here for the visit of Their Majesties the King and Queen.

On arrival, Mr. Coleman was driven to Government House, where he is spending the week-end, and last night he discussed the forthcoming Royal visit with Hon. E. W. Hamber, Lieutenant-Governor, and Mrs. Hamber.

Mr. Coleman will meet Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance and acting Premier, at the Legislative Buildings tomorrow, and will leave for the Mainland, en route back to Ottawa, tomorrow night.

Mr. Coleman indicated last night that detailed arrangements for the visit of Their Majesties will be left in the hands of a local committee, for submission, through the proper channels, to Their Majesties for approval.

Continuing Protests Against Threatened Stamp Falls Logging

Residents of Alberni District Indignant at Being Told to Raise $3,000 Themselves to Save Scenic Attraction

PORT Alberni, Jan. 21.—Strong protests, reflecting widespread indignation throughout the Alberni district, are being sent by numerous organizations here and at Alberni to the Provincial Government against the threatened destruction of the noted stand of fine timber at Stamp Falls, about ten miles from here.

Advice has been received from the Department of Lands at Victoria stating that the Government has no money with which to save the timber from the axe and suggesting that if residents of the district wish to save the trees they should raise the money themselves. Believing the matter to be one of Provincial concern as the falls and the timber are visited by hundreds of tourists annually, the suggestion has served to increase the indignation.

At a special meeting of interested organizations yesterday the owner of the timber, who plans to cut it shortly, offered to surrender the tract for $3,000. The Lands Department was notified of this offer immediately.

THOUGHT TREES SAFE

About two years ago the Port Alberni Board of Trade, fearing that the timber might be cut, took the matter up with the forestry branch and received a letter intimating that there was no danger of such taking place and no need to worry. Yesterday a forestry branch official inquired into the matter and is said to have found that much of the park, which has been laid out by the Government at considerable expense, is in the area to be logged.

TRIO NARROWLY ESCAPE DEATH

Driver and Passenger Receive Minor Injuries in Gorge Road Mishap

Three persons narrowly escaped death in an accident involving three automobiles on Gorge Road at Orillia Street, at 7:15 o'clock yesterday evening. As a result of the crash which badly damaged two of the machines, William T. Lawrie, 599 St. Patrick Street, received minor injuries, which necessitated his removal to the Royal Jubilee Hospital, and Fred Slocombe, 765 Hillside Avenue, a passenger in Lawrie's car, suffered minor contusions.

Sergeant Eric Elwell and Constable W. Parson and C. Pearce reported that Lawrie was proceeding towards Victoria and while passing cars driven by Austin Albany, 1251 Craigflower Road, and Owen Bentley, 1653 Pembroke Street, which were both traveling in the opposite direction, apparently swerved across the road, clipping the rear fender of Albany's machine. The Lawrie car then crashed head on into Bentley's automobile.

BADLY DAMAGED

The front end of Lawrie's car was practically demolished, the radiator and engine being pushed back towards the driver. Police stated Slocombe probably was thrown through the windshield as the careening machine struck that of Bentley. The rear fender of Albany's machine was badly damaged, and the radiator, headlights, bumper and fenders of Bentley's auto were smashed.

Dr. T. W. A. Gray, who attended the injured men, took Lawrie to the hospital, while Slocombe was removed to his own home.

Ten Persons Die In Big Explosion

CALI, Colombia, Jan. 21 (AP).—Ten persons were killed, many others injured and 260 houses destroyed when a powder storehouse exploded today in the village of Juanchita, three miles up the Cauca River from Cali.

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Battleship Is Being Refitted for Tour Of Their Majesties

Comparatively Little Expense Incurred in Altering Accommodation for King and Queen In H.M.S. Repulse

LONDON, Jan. 21.—Comparatively little special expense is being incurred in fitting out H.M.S. Repulse for the journey of the King and Queen to Canada in May. The work has been proceeding rapidly for several weeks, and the crew will go aboard shortly.

The extra cabins which are being constructed for members of the Royal suite will remain in the ship as necessary fittings, for although the Repulse was designed as a flag ship she has been short of cabin accommodation for that purpose.

The King and Queen will use as their apartments the rooms usually occupied by the captain and the commanders, and some other officers' cabins will be given to members of the Royal party. Much of the furnishings of the Royal apartments, including a piano and all table equipment, will be transferred to the Repulse from the Royal yacht Victoria and Albert. The King will also take with him the Royal barge from the Victoria and Albert. This is a fast motor launch almost new, and will be used to take their Majesties between ship and shore during the tour.

To give more space in the part of the Repulse set apart for Their Majesties and their suite, some small gun mountings have been removed. This has merely expedited an alteration, for two at least of the mountings were to have been removed as part of the refit which the ship is undergoing.

ON FORECASTLE DECK

The Royal apartments in the Repulse are at the after end of the forecastle deck, overlooking the quarter-deck. Their Majesties will use the captain's dining-room. Communicating with this is a sitting-room, which is also normally one of the captain's apartments. Here more floor space has been gained by removing a small gun-mounting and the room is being given a plywood ceiling. For a sleeping cabin the King will use the captain's sleeping cabin. The captain's spare sleeping cabin has been allocated to the Queen, who will also have a day cabin. Near her apartments are cabins for ladies-in-waiting, and further cabins for members of the Royal suite are being erected.

From the forecastle deck a ladder leads to the shelter deck, above, and this is to be known as the "tea deck," because provision is being made for the serving of tea there. Actually it will be a small promenade deck one part of which will be glazed to afford protection in rough weather. Here, too, space has been gained by the removal of a small gun-mounting. The starboard hangar will be used as a Royal baggage store and to house the Royal barge, but the Repulse will carry an airplane in her port hangar.

President for Third Successive Term

HAROLD DAVENPORT

WHO was returned to office as president of the Victoria Centre of the St. John Ambulance Association, at the annual meeting recently. Mr. Davenport has been president of the centre for the past two years.—Photo by Cherer.

PLAN RALLY OF THREE CHOIRS

Famous Hereford Festival to Be Held in September This Year

Canadians intending to visit England during the coming Summer will be cordially welcomed at the Three Choirs Festival, a great musical event which is to take place at Hereford on September 3, 5, 6, 7, and 8.

A chorus and orchestra of about 350 will be heard at this 219th meeting of the ensemble. England has many musical festivals, but that of the "Three Choirs" is one of the most renowned because of the perfection of choral singing and orchestral playing, most of which will be in the atmosphere of a beautiful old Norman cathedral which has a tradition of many centuries.

Dr. Percy C. Hull, one of the well-known names in music in England, will conduct, and among those who will participate as principal soloists or in other leading capacities will be Myra Hess, pianist; Jelly d'Aranyi, solo violinist; Antonia Butler, solo 'cellist; Sir Ivor Atkins, D.Mus., who will be at the organ in the mornings; Herbert Sumsion, B.Mus., in the evenings; and the following singers: Isobel Baillie, Astra Desmond, Eric Greene, Arthur Cranmer, Joan Cross, Mary Jarred, David Lloyd, Roy Henderson, Elsie Suddaby, Heddle Nash.

FESTIVAL WEEK EVENTS

Among the events that will take place during Festival Week are the following:

Sunday, September 3—Opening service with chorus and orchestra.

Tuesday—"The Kingdom" (Elgar); "Threnody" (New Work for Soloists, Chorus and Orchestra), (Brent Smith); "O Amantissime Sponse Jesu" (Ritter); Symphony in G Minor (Mozart); "Elijah" (Mendelssohn).

Wednesday — Mass in B Minor (Bach); Orchestral Work (Vaughan Williams); orchestral concert, Pianoforte Concerto (Schumann); overture, "In the South" (Elgar); Isolde's Narration (Wagner); overture, "Merry Andrew" (new work), (W. H. Reed); songs with orchestra, etc.

Thursday—Variations for Orchestra (on the Chorale "St. Antonio"), (Brahms); "Quo Vadis" (New Work for Solists, Chorus and Orchestra), (George Dyson); "Job" (Scenes 3 and 4), (Parry); "Dona Nobis Pacem" (Vaughan Williams); "The Dream of Gerontius" (Elgar).

Friday—"The Creation" (Part I), (Haydn); "Dies Natalis" (New Work for Soprano Solo and Strings), (Gerald Finzi); Concerto for Violin (Mozart); "The Messiah" (Selection), (Handel); chamber concert; trios (Myra Hess, Jelly d'Aranyi and Antonia Butler); pianoforte, violin and violoncello solos, songs, etc.

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YOUTH RECEIVES YEAR IN PRISON

James Lester Pleads Guilty in Court To Charge of Stealing an Automobile Here

Convicted of a charge of stealing an automobile from J. M. Nichol, Ten Mile Point, James Lester, nineteen, Vancouver, was sentenced by Magistrate Henry C. Hall in the city police court yesterday to serve one year in prison at hard labor.

Lester admitted stealing the machine, and elected for summary trial. He had nothing to say, except to reply in answer to a question that he had no parents.

Constable Joseph Addison told the court he noticed the stolen car pass Maitland Road at a high rate of speed when he was on duty along Esquimalt Road with Constable Alex Nichol at 11:15 o'clock Friday night. They chased Lester through the city to Cook Street, at times attaining speeds up to seventy miles per hour.

During the chase, the automobile sideswiped and damaged another car parked on Broughton Street. It too, sustained heavy damage to the right side.

Near Seaview Avenue the stolen machine attempted to pass another car, but was forced off the road. Lester then abandoned the automobile and hid face down in a field, Constable Addison related.

Constable Addison added the accused told him he had eluded the Provincial Police at Shawnigan Lake, and twice nearly left the road on the Malahat.

PHILPOTT ADDRESSES SIDNEY MEN'S CLUB

SIDNEY, Jan. 21.—The Men's Supper Club of Sidney held their monthly meeting in the Wesley Hall, with sixty-six men in attendance. The speaker was Captain J. Elmore Philpott, who outlined the life and policies of Reichfuehrer Adolf Hitler. A lively question period followed the address, many taking part and drawing Captain Philpott out on such subjects as the wars in Spain and China, the Munich Agreement, the position of Soviet Russia, the Lima Conference, and many other topics.

Rev. D. M. Perley was in the chair.

The next meeting will be on February 8, when the subject will be "The Topographical Survey of Vancouver Island," and the speakers will be A. J. Campbell and Norman Stuart.

COMMITTEE TO ASK FOR CASH

Total of $3,650 Sought by Celebration Group of City Council

A recommendation that $150 be set aside to assist children's Hallowe'en bonfires will be presented by the City Council celebration committee at a meeting of the council to be held tomorrow night. The committee will also ask for $1,500 for May 24; $1,000 for July 1, and $1,000 for Navy Week.

A request for $10,000 to take care of a fitting celebration to commemorate the visit of Their Majesties may be presented in the near future.

All council committees were asked by Mayor Andrew McGavin to file their estimates as soon as possible. The celebration group was the first one to comply.

PLAN ROAD WORK

A motion will be presented by the public works committee that the city engineer be authorized to complete road work on Topaz Avenue, between Graham and Prior Streets, as a relief measure.

The parks committee will recommend that trees and shrubs be removed from the two plots on Bastion Street, and that the area be covered with concrete to add to existing automobile parking space.

Also filed for council consideration is a letter from the Canadian Federation of Mayors and Municipalities, asking for payment of annual dues totaling $58.50. The dues are based on a scale of $1.50 per thousand population.

MAYOR IS HONORARY PRESIDENT OF HIGH SCHOOL ALUMI BODY

At the last meeting of the Victoria High School Alumni Association, Mayor Andrew McGavin was unanimously elected honorary president of the body. Chief Constable J. A. McLellan, George I. Warren, Charles Swayne and Kenneth Drury were named vice-presidents of the organization.

The membership drive is proceeding very satisfactorily and tickets may be purchased at 767 Yates Street this week from 8 to 10:30 every evening.

Plans are under way for the first big dance sponsored by the alumni, which will take place in the ballroom of the Crystal Garden on Friday, February 3. Members and their friends are invited. Exhibition dancing and prizes will be featured and ex-members are urged to purchase membership tickets at the door.

Donations Asked To Aid Refugees Of War in China

A meeting of the Canadian Friends of the Chinese People was held on Thursday night at the Y.M.C.A., Dr. D. M. Baillie in the chair.

It was decided, in addition to the $100 already sent, to forward $500 for medical supplies to the China Defence League in Hongkong immediately. Also, in view of Mme. Sun Yat Sen's letter appealing for medical supplies and funds for the wounded and the 60,000,000 refugees, whom she says they cannot clothe, feed nor shelter, the members unanimously voted to expend the money already donated for medical aid and relief for Chinese refugees and to make efforts to collect additional sums.

Plans were initiated for a conference to organize a boycott and embargo on war materials.

JUDGES APPOINTED

OLYMPIA, Wash., Jan. 21 (AP).—Governor Martin today appointed Lon Johnson and E. W. Schwellenbach to vacancies on the Superior Court benches of Stevens and Grant Counties, respectively.

BOY SCOUT NEWS

FIRST CATHEDRAL TROOP

The weekly meeting of the First Cathedral Troop was held on Friday, being opened by J. McDonald, duty patrol leader. Instruction and inspection periods were held during the evening. Kim's game and Scout's pace tests were held for second class badge. Games and drill were enjoyed by all. G. Pashley and K. Pearce were enrolled and made members of the Grouse and Hawk patrols, respectively. R. Warner was appointed assistant scoutmaster of the troop. Another meeting will be held at the Crystal Garden on February 10, at 7:30 p.m.

A very successful card party was held recently at the home of Mrs. G. E. Warner, Suffolk Street. The next card party will be at the home of Mrs. McPhee, 320 Moss Street, on February 20, at 8 o'clock.

ST. MARY'S TROOP

The weekly meeting of St. Mary's Troop was opened on Friday evening by the duty patrol leader, Dave Gornall, with more than thirty-five Scouts present. Following the regular inspection and a special inspection, two lively games were enjoyed, followed by a period of instruction in second class signaling and compass, and general first class instruction. Several Scouts passed their Scout's pace test. A court of honor of patrol leaders was held. During the meeting an ex-Scout of St. Louis Troop, Ted Fletcher, was welcomed to the troop. Several recruits in the troop are ready to pass their tenderfoot tests, and will be invested within the next few weeks. The troop strength is now up to its limit and no more Scouts will be enrolled for a few months.

FIRST CADBORO BAY SEA SCOUTS

The meeting of the First Cadboro Bay Sea Scouts Troop was held at the Cadboro Bay Scout Hall on Friday. It was opened at 7 o'clock with flag break, after which a game of hockey was played. The troop was called to attention and George Bosdet was presented with his swimmer's badge and appointed patrol leader of the Sea Lion Patrol by Scoutmaster Bardsley. The troop then broke off for the usual instruction, after which the A.S.M. gave instruction on seamanship. The troop was dismissed and a court of honor held.

Lord Kemsley Is New York Visitor

NEW YORK, Jan. 21 (CP).—Lord Kemsley, chairman of the Allied Newspapers, Ltd., arrived here yesterday with Lady Kemsley for a vacation. He said he would stay in New York for a few days, then go to Washington and later to Ottawa where he probably would see Lord Tweedsmuir, Governor-General of Canada.

BAMFIELD HOSPITAL OFFICERS ELECTED

BAMFIELD, B.C., Jan. 21.—The first annual meeting of the Bamfield Red Cross Outpost Hospital was held in Cable Hall here recently, when the president's and secretary-treasurer's reports were read and approved.

The following officers were all elected by acclamation: Mrs. R. A. Dickinson, president; Mrs. J. Nicholls, honorary secretary-treasurer; Mrs. E. Bolin, first vice-president, Mrs. A. B. Gallagher, second vice-president; Mr. E. Bolin, third vice-president; Mr. E. Palmer, Mr. A. Hoskins, Mr. R. Scott, Mr. J. Grunlund, Mr. U. Laite, Mr. L. Meyers, Mrs. E. Behan, Mrs. A. Cassidy, Mrs. W. Mabin, Miss I. Jennings, executive.

During the year Hugh Birch Jones visited Bamfield and decided on a suitable building, and an option has been paid on it. The purchase will be completed early in April when the Provincial Government grant of $2,500 is received. Alterations to conform to hospital requirements will be made to the building as early as possible; a landing float is under construction now, and there are ninety paid-up subscribers.

Funds have been raised for the equipment by home-cooking sales, card parties, concerts and dances, by the Women's Auxiliary to the Red Cross Outpost Hospital.

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SAANICH LIBERALS

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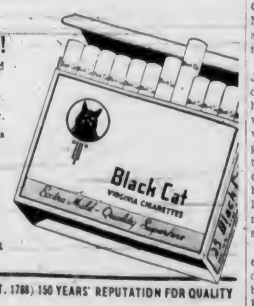

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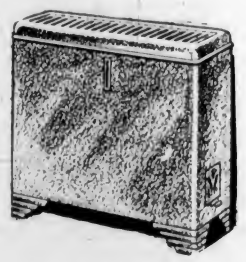
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Craigflower School District Created at Taxpayers' Request

Area Granted Secession From Municipality of Saanich Through Efforts of E. V. Finland, M.P.P.—Ratepayers May Elect Trustees

ESTABLISHMENT of the Craigflower Rural School District, following separation of the district from the Saanich municipal district, was announced in a recent issue of the British Columbia Gazette.

This notice constitutes Craigflower as a separate and independent school district thus terminating a connection with the Municipality of Saanich for school purposes which began thirty years ago, for when the Municipality of Saanich was incorporated, the old Craigflower schoolhouse being on the north side of Portage Inlet, was within the Saanich boundary, and the Department of Education of that date placed Craigflower district under the jurisdiction of Saanich Municipality for school purposes and consequently subject to the Saanich school tax. This was a practical and a wise arrangement at that time although later it resulted in overtaxation of Craigflower property owners. This was a most unfortunate development, but it could not have been foreseen or anticipated.

When, however, in the course of a few years land in Saanich Municipality became more densely populated, school attendance greatly increased especially when Saanich adopted single tax as a system of taxation. School attendance from Saanich rose rapidly, necessitating increased taxation for schools. The Saanich school tax rose from 1 mill in 1906 to 9 mills in 1923, and in 1928 to 13.93, and in 1938 to 17.6 mills. Although school attendance from Saanich rose thus rapidly, the number of pupils from Craigflower did not increase in anything like the same proportion.

The result was that by 1928 the Craigflower district felt that it was paying to Saanich in school taxes substantially more than the pupils from Craigflower were costing the municipality, and that this condition had existed for several years before 1928. In consequence, owing to this grievance, Craigflower petitioned the Government in 1928 for separation from Saanich Municipality, but this was opposed by the municipality. As a result the Government eventually made a grant in mitigation of excess taxation. This grant was continued in varying amounts up to and including the year 1938.

In spite of this grant, however, the feeling continued and persisted that the arrangement was not equitable to the people of Craigflower district.

TAKES MATTER UP

Following his election to the Provincial Legislature in June, 1937, this matter was brought to the attention of E. V. Finland, who followed R. H. Pooley, K.C., as the representative of Esquimalt District, which includes the Craigflower school district.

Mr. Finland's diligence in presenting the claim of the people of Craigflower district to the Department of Education and his perseverance in seeking a remedy induced the department to appoint Inspector W. G. Gamble to make a complete and thorough investigation into the entire situation, and thereafter to recommend what course the department should follow in the premises.

After conferences with the Saanich School Board and the Craigflower Ratepayers' Association, examination of the financial statements and school figures submitted by the ratepayers, and after personal interviews with many of the ratepayers, Mr. Gamble made his report to the superintendent of education. Following this report the council of public instruction decided to create Craigflower a separate rural school district. As such it comes entirely under provincial control, and in June, 1939, will under the School Act, elect its own school trustees.

The taxpayers of Craigflower are greatly pleased with the decision of the Department of Education, believing that it is a complete removal of a long-standing grievance, that it will stimulate the development of their district, and at the same time maintain and even improve the standing of education of its pupils. They also fully recognize and appreciate the good offices of their member, E. V. Finland, in this connection.

ELBERTON, Ga., Jan. 21 (AP).—Sidney Parham, ten, swung out over a street on a rope tied to a tree. An automobile struck him in mid-air, killing him instantly.

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ALKA SELTZER Large size 57¢
EDME MALT EXTRACT with Cod Liver Oil, 2-lb. jar 62¢
DENTAL PLATE BRUSHES Regular 30c. To clear 29¢

CHOW SAUCE bottle 8¢
SOAP FLAKES 1-lb. pkt. 8¢

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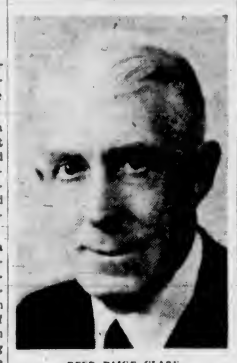
Butter First Grade 3 lbs. 85¢
CHEESE Mild, lb. 18¢ Medium, lb. 23¢
EGGS Gr. A large, doz. 27¢ Gr. A Medium, doz. 25¢ Gr. A Pullet, doz. 24¢

YUGOSLAVIA IS ADDRESS TOPIC

Reed Paige Clark, U.S. Consul Here, to Speak to Kiwanis Members



REED PAIGE CLARK

CLUB CALENDAR

MONDAY—Gyro Club, dinner meeting, Spencer's dining-room, 6:15 p.m.; Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club, business meeting, clubrooms, 8 p.m.

TUESDAY—Kiwanis Club, luncheon meeting, Empress Hotel, 12:10 p.m.

THURSDAY—Rotary Club, luncheon meeting, Empress Hotel, 12:10 p.m.

Reed Paige Clark, A.M., LL.B., United States consul in Victoria, will be the guest speaker at the weekly luncheon meeting of the Kiwanis Club on Tuesday. Mr. Clark will take as his subject "Yugoslavia."

Charles Smedley, P.O., instructor of the Royal Canadian Navy, will be the guest speaker at the dinner meeting of the Gyro Club on Monday evening. "Diving and Methods Used" will be the interesting subject with which the officer will deal. The evening's programme is titled "Under the Waves," and the meeting is being held under the leadership of Charles Hunt, chairman of the wholesale group of the club.

Sir Robert Holland, formerly with the British Army in India, and more recently engaged as technical adviser for the picture, "Gunga Din," produced in Hollywood, will address members of the Rotary Club on Thursday.

A business meeting will be held by the Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club in the clubrooms, 301 Union Building, at 8 p.m. tomorrow. A court whist party will take place on Friday evening in the headquarters.

DELAY APPOINTMENT OF DEPUTY MINISTER

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Selection is expected to be made from J. A. Motherwell, Pacific Coast chief fisheries superintendent; A. J. Whitmore, chief of Western Division at Ottawa departmental headquarters but raised in British Columbia; D. H. Sutherland, chief superintendent, Eastern Division at Halifax; Clarence Veniot, New Brunswick Federal Liberal member, a practising medical doctor and son of former Postmaster-General Peter Veniot; and Vincent Pottier, Federal Nova Scotia Liberal member, a practising lawyer.

Reports widely published that Mr. Pottier is to give up his seat and "must be provided for," so that Hon. Leighton Ralston may reenter the Liberal Cabinet, are positively denied in highest Government quarters.

ST. MARY'S MEN'S GUILD

St. Mary's Men's Guild will meet on Thursday next and will have for its speaker, Dr. D. M. Baillie, his subject being "Guerrilla Warfare in China." All men of the parish are cordially invited to attend.

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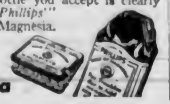

PHILLIPS' Milk of Magnesia

Annual Dinner of Burns Club Next Wednesday Night

The seventeenth annual dinner of the Victoria Burns Club will be held next Wednesday night at 7 o'clock in the ballroom of the Empress Hotel. Mr. Justice M. A. Macdonald, a member of the Court of Appeal in this province, will propose the toast to the immortal memory of Robert Burns.

Other speakers will be Captain R. W. McMurray, William T. Straith, M.P.P.; W. B. Grant, Adam Bell, Dr. W. R. Gunn and A. H. Cameron. There will be a musical programme. Dress will be optional.

SHADOW ARMY LATEST MOVE

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New decrees created the machinery for development of all able-bodied men over seventeen years old—excepting Jews and criminals—into a military-trained, military-minded reserve for Germany's standing army estimated at 1,000,000 strong.

Hitler made it obligatory for every male after completing his military service to join defence units affiliated with the S.A. (Brownshirt National Socialist storm troops) or to participate in other party formations such as the S.S. (Blackshirt elite guard), the N.S.K.K. (motor corps), or the N.S.F.K. (flying corps).

Another development in Nazi economic and military preparedness included ouster of two of Schacht's longtime associates, Frederick W. Dreyse and Ernest Huelse, from the Reichsbank directorate. Dreyse was succeeded in the vice-presidency by Rudolph Brinkmann. Economics Minister Funk's right-hand man, Huelse's post was not filled immediately.

STOCK REACTION

The stock market reacted to inflationary tendencies by rising an average of 1-1-2 per cent above yesterday's 1 per cent rise. Some stocks went up 2 and 3 per cent.

On the diplomatic front, the appointment of Captain Fritz Weidemann, Hitler's personal adjutant and World War company commander, as consul-general at San Francisco was announced officially.

Official sources said the appointment had no political significance. They said Wiedemann was going to California "on his own wish"—a reward for his services to Germany.

WOULD BAR ENTRY

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21 (AP).—The San Francisco Industrial Union Council (Congress of Industrial Organizations), today asked the United States Labor Department to bar entry into the country of Captain Fritz Wiedemann, newly-appointed German consul-general at San Francisco.

The council by resolution termed Wiedemann an "undesirable alien" and declared his name had been mentioned in connection with recent trials of accused spies in New York.

GIVEN HONOR BY REGIMENT

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entertained at dinner last evening in honor of their new colonel. Sixty officers and honorary members sat down to dinner in the dining-room of the mess, which was handsomely decorated in the colors of the regiment, the tables carrying out the effect with blue streamers and red candles in silver candelabra.

Colonel McKenna, in making the announcement of the appointment, referred to the keen interest which His Honor has taken in the affairs of the militia in Canada, and especially to his valuable counsel in assisting the direction of the affairs of the brigade.

In his closing remarks, Colonel McKenna said: "We honor him on this occasion with the highest gift within the power of the officers and men of this regiment to bestow. It is our unanimous wish that His Honor should accept his appointment as a tribute to his high qualities, and in recognition of his good works."

CHARITABLE WORKS

"We may say here, with justice and propriety, that there reposes among many desirable attributes one which may be said to be the chief good in life—that of having the wish and the will to help those less fortunately placed, the practice of which, far transcending either clique or caste, leaves in the minds of all classes of men a keen appreciation of the beauty of good works."

The 5th Brigade is affiliated with the Royal Regiment of Artillery, of which H.M. the King is colonel-in-chief. It is expected that during the forthcoming visit of the King and Queen that the unit will form a guard of honor during an important appearance of Their Majesties.

Police Will Fly Food to Indians

WHITEHORSE, Y.T., Jan. 21 (CP).—Royal Canadian Mounted Police awaited favorable weather today to fly a supply of food to a settlement of forty Indians reported starving at Lake Aishihik, 150 miles northwest of here.

The R.C.M.P., controlling Indian affairs in the Yukon for the Dominion Government, will fly supplies to the Indians by Yukon Airways. It was thought the plane might get away tomorrow.

B.C. MINISTERS ARE RETURNING

Hon. John Hart to Arrive Today, Followed by Premier Pattullo Shortly

Provincial ministers were converging on Victoria yesterday for early reassembly of the Cabinet here. Hon. John Hart arrived in Vancouver yesterday, and was in touch with the Provincial Treasury by telephone. He will return to the city today, after calls at Ottawa, Toronto and a brief visit in the East.

Premier Pattullo, yesterday at Chicago, is also believed to be heading westward, and is expected back at his office by the middle of this week. Hon. W. J. Asselstine, who went to San Francisco to adjust some details in connection with the British Columbia exhibit at the Treasure Island Fair, is expected back in the city tomorrow.

CABINET TO REASSEMBLE

Other members of the Cabinet, on the Mainland yesterday, will also gather here, with the exception of Hon. K. C. MacDonald, who is engaged on a tour of the Lower Mainland attending farmers' and fruitgrowers' gatherings. Later in the season, Hon. F. M. MacPherson may go to Ottawa to discuss Federal-Provincial road programme, it has been indicated.

Announcement as to the success of provincial negotiations in the East is not expected until the reassembly of the Cabinet here, after the return of Premier Pattullo, possibly on Wednesday.

TEN RESCUED FROM PLANE IN OCEAN

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coast guard early today described the rescue.

The message said:

"Esso Baytown states arrived reported position at 21:20 (Greenwich mean time). Results negative. Proceeded to true position latitude 37.17 longitude 69.45, arriving 23:00 (11 p.m., E.S.T.).

"Heard voices calling to the eastward. Stopped and put over lifeboats and picked up ten survivors hanging on to rubber life belts."

The Champlain then gave the list of ten survivors and the three missing.

"Survivors reported plane sank in about ten minutes.

"Apparently all were hanging on to lifebelts, and two passengers and steward weakened and let go—namely, J. Gordon Noakes, D. Miller and Steward Spence."

Lieut. Philip Short, executive officer of the Champlain, and the pharmacist's mate boarded the Esso Baytown a short time later.

HAD SEEN NOTHING

Before the Esso Baytown arrived, two ships and a coast guard plane had scouted the position given by the Cavalier, when it was forced down by heavy icing on its motors. They saw nothing, they reported.

An armada of at least twelve surface ships and several United States army and coast guard planes was poised for a dawn search of the area when the Esso Baytown messaged the coast guard at 11:25 p.m. (8:25 p.m., P.S.T.) "Sighted wreckage of plane. Lowered lifeboat."

For ten hours nothing had been heard on the wireless lanes from the twenty-ton seaplane, capable of carrying twenty passengers. Its last message at 1:13 p.m., when it was about halfway to Bermuda from Port Washington, N.Y., was one desperate word:

"Sinking."

The position given by the stricken plane was approximately 322 miles southeast of Cape May, N.J., and every craft in the vicinity turned to join the rescue race.

TO CONTINUE SCHEDULE

NEW YORK, Jan. 22 (AP).—Pan-American Airways, which operates a New York-Bermuda service in cooperation with Imperial Airways, announced today that its service would continue as usual despite the loss of Imperial's flying boat Cavalier.

The Bermuda Clipper was ordered to take off from its base at Bermuda for New York today, as scheduled.

J. Carroll Cone, Atlantic division manager of Pan-American, ordered the ship to fly over the area where the Cavalier was forced down, in search of other survivors. He asked Captain Griffith Powell, Imperial's Bermuda manager, to come to New York with the clipper.

HARD-OF-HEARING CLUB

The Victoria Hard-of-Hearing Club have arranged an interesting programme of entertainment consisting of selections by a string trio and a piano accordion, to take place after the regular meeting to be held in the headquarters of the club on Government Street, on Wednesday evening. Members of the trio are: Piano, Miss Rita Nevara; 'cello, Miss Nancy Kyle, and violin, Miss Betty Mulliner. The piano accordion will be played by Master Bardsley.

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Temperatures Drop Sharply In Manitoba

WINNIPEG, Jan. 21 (CP).—A high gale which swept out of the north early today died down tonight and was succeeded by sub-zero temperatures.

A light snow which piled into large drifts during the forenoon blocked many highways. Snow ploughs worked to clear main trunk roads south and west of here and it is expected these will soon be reopened to traffic.

In twenty-four hours temperatures dropped from twenty-one degrees above to six below zero and the forecast promised colder weather to come.

REPORTS RECEIVED AT ANNUAL MEETING OF UNITED CHURCH

The annual meeting of the Wilkinson Road United Church was held on Wednesday evening. The secretarial and financial report, showing an increase in contributions, was given by A. E. Campion. Mr. McGillivray reported as clerk of the session, and Miss Muriel Hoy reported for the Sunday school. The Women's Missionary Society report was presented by Mrs. A. Allison. The Young People's Society report was given by Miss Alvaretta McNutt.

A vote of thanks was tendered to D. W. Phillips, choir leader, and Miss Margaret Pringle, organist. Frank Ritz was thanked for auditing the books.

A standing vote of appreciation of the work of Rev. and Mrs. Allan was extended, and a unanimous invitation given for them to remain another year. In responding, Rev. Mr. Allan thanked the congregation for its loyal support and co-operation which had been shown him during the seven years of his ministry, and thought it a fitting time to suggest to the congregation the making of a pastoral change, so that the high traditions of the work be effectively continued.

Mr. Allan intimated that, after prayerful consideration and under strong conviction, he had decided to tender his resignation at the first meeting of the combined boards of the Wilkinson Road and Garden City United churches, to take effect at the end of June.

NO OPEN DOOR FOR REFUGEES IN CANADA

MONTREAL, Jan. 21 (CP).—So long as Canada has its unemployment problem, there will be no open door for political refugees in the Dominion, Hon. Fernand Rinfret, Secretary of State, said last night before the St. James Young Liberals' Association.

The minister said the Government had decided to date that restrictions on immigration from foreign countries are to be maintained.

MEETING DATE ALTERED

Owing to a change of the date of the arrival of visitors from Winnipeg, the mink breeders' meeting, announced for Wednesday, has been changed to tomorrow, and will be held at the Dominion Hotel commencing at 8 p.m.

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Edmonton's Mild Spell at an End

EDMONTON, Jan. 21 (CP).—Aided by an icy north wind, sub-zero weather returned to Edmonton today, ending a sixteen-day mild spell. The thermometer skidded 48 degrees in twenty-one hours to reach a low of 20 degrees below zero at 7:00 a.m. today.

Climbing slowly under a bright sun, the instrument reached 16 below later in the forenoon.

U.B.C. CAGERS BEATEN

VANCOUVER, Jan. 21 (CP).—Pacific Lutheran College of Seattle defeated University of British Columbia, 61-54, in an inter-collegiate exhibition basketball game here today.

The Seattle squad broke away from a 50-50 deadlock in the final session to win easily. Sigurdson, with twenty-two points, was high scorer for the victors, with Haysham counting eighteen. Rann Matthison led U.B.C. marksmen with thirteen.

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OTTAWA AND UNEMPLOYMENT

The Speech from the Throne at the opening of the Federal Parliament contributed no new light on the unemployment problem. It mentioned "an increasing assumption of obligation (for relief) on the part of the Federal Government." There is allusion to expanding a long-range work programme, of aid to municipal improvements through loans, which will provide work, and extension of the assistance now given to forest conservation that provides some work for single unemployed. These measures, useful as they may be in an ephemeral way, do not attempt to go to the root of the matter. They have been in process for some time. The stark reality is, as The Ottawa Journal says, that "unemployment, as a national problem—the greatest that is before us—has not been dealt with, much less solved."

The present Government at Ottawa has failed lamentably in a purpose it set out to achieve in bringing "comfort and happiness" to all. It has had upwards of three years to reach its goal, and it stands today exactly where it started. Mr. Mackenzie King, in the course of his election campaign, dwelt on the necessity of increased world trade as the best solution of the unemployment problem. No doubt it would be if it increased sufficiently, but in this policy Mr. King was reckoning with forces far beyond any control which the Government at Ottawa can exercise. It has no influence whatever on recurring crises in Europe or on conditions in the Orient, all of which have exercised adverse influence on world trade. If it can be shown that the present Government's fight for economic security has been "carried on as never before," to quote Mr. King, then the results are disheartening, for unemployment prevails with little amelioration throughout the length and breadth of the Dominion.

The present session at Ottawa is to devise a works programme, ostensibly to relieve unemployment. There is always a works programme in an election year. There is no assurance that anything that is planned will, in the words of the annual report of the Canadian Welfare Council, mean "long-term legislation, comprehensive planning, and any integrated and adequate programme for a fundamental attack upon the serious national ills which have occasioned these heavy expenditures ($900,000,000 because of economic slackness during the past nine years)." Parliament is unlikely to decree anything tending to solve unemployment, save a programme of pre-election public works. That is only a temporary measure, which experience has proved slackens, and even pauses, when a Government is returned to power. The present Administration at Ottawa has proved itself bankrupt in action to remove unemployment. It cannot even make genuine excuses for its laissez faire policy in the handling of this problem.

IMMORTAL LONGINGS

In his concluding Gifford Lecture in 1938, Mr. W. G. De Burgh, Emeritus Professor of Philosophy in the University of Reading, said: "We are often told, and not only by irresponsible laymen, that the churches must keep pace with the times, must modernize their creeds and observances, must take a lead in politics and social service. But what of the eternal truths that it is their primary mission to teach? When preachers and journalists speak of the Kingdom of God as though it were a temporal millenium, they are guilty of confusion of thought." Professor De Burgh said the New Jerusalem is not to be built by any generation on earth, but is "a city that hath foundations, whose Builder and Maker is God." Religion, he said, claims "to give knowledge, and knowledge of eternal truth; by its capacity to justify this claim it will stand or fall."

Some preachers in these later times indicate by their thoughts that a social or economic revolution will bring about an entirely new world that in some sense will be a simulacrum of the Heaven of their desires. There is no assurance that this conception could be other than a simulacrum. There is, however, a connection between the social order and the moral law. Rev. J. Middleton Murray says: "A twofold stream descends from God—one of social order, diffused over society by the instrument of the temporal power, the other of moral order, diffused over society by the instrument of the spiritual power. These preserve humanity from the beast that lurks within it, and the world from chaos." The conception of the New Jerusalem, however, must be built up in the hearts of men. It is something entirely apart from their business, their interests and their recreations of the present time. It is a passing into the felt atmosphere of the eternal world, a passing which will color their doings in this world, but mainly to the extent of giving mundane happenings their proportionate place in the minds of the heirs of immortality. Those who are absorbed in the lesser interests have little time to give to consideration of the City of God.

When Shakespeare made Cleopatra say, in the hour and article of her death: "Give me my robe, put on my crown; I have immortal longings in me," he spoke an eternal truth of what is at some time in the heart of every one; of belief in the existence of an eternal world. To have this belief and not to do something about it is to fall far short of full humanity. Whenever the individual, or the Church itself, fails in nurturing such immortal longings there is distraction by secondary controversies. There are disputes in the pulpit, as there are everywhere else, and it is from the pulpit that there is the eager anticipation to hear the Word of God and that alone. It is moral order, not new social or economic dispensations, that makes it possible to pass beyond the war of words to the eternal realities, and that makes them manifest their power in human life. The task of the Church, as well as that of the individual who would make earth the stepping stone to eternity, is to seize upon and add a new effulgence to the immortal longings of the heart of man; to preach the attractiveness of truth and righteousness and to inspire a new standard of conduct.

The danger to any society is that it may fall into moral insensibility through lack of ideals. It can, to quote Mark Pattison in a celebrated essay, "settle down in self-satisfied epicurism, undisturbed in its own self-satisfactions." The loss of ideals means the disappearance of the ability to make moral progress, the loss of power to lift the vision beyond the world of time and sense, failure to envisage the things in which resides the spring of all true desire. There is no satisfaction in a religion that simply conforms to men's desire and remains level with their pleasures. That is never the religion that makes for progress; it is one that is held within the prison walls of sheer fatalism. Where there are immortal longings there is the struggle always for what is beyond the mind's grasp, what is even beyond this life's attainment, for the heart is set on that New Jerusalem which may not be built on earth.

The creeds of religion may be modernized, the observances of a Christian life may be brought up to date, but the eternal realities remain unchanged. They are what they are and will ever remain; they cannot be metamorphosed to suit the shifting sands on which any social or economic outlook is based. It is those realities, the very foundation of Christianity itself, that the Church should preach if it is not to be disobedient to the heavenly vision. Its mission is to appeal to immortal longings, to bear witness to the power of an ideal, and to endeavor to make it the dominant motive of life. There are issues that are universal and eternal, and they far supersede those that are social or economic. Love is always more ultimate than any law, and it alone, when directed towards the Highest, gives that peace which the world cannot give and cannot take away. True reform of society in any of its aspects can only come by the exercise of the moral and spiritual powers of man, and these may only be used to the full according as they come into communion with the Creator and the Source of all life. It is those who put into practice the ideals evoked by immortal longings,

"To whom in vision clear
The aspiring heads of future things appear,
Like mountain tops whose mists have rolled away."

AN EGREGIOUS BLUNDER

The Canadian Broadcasting Corporation will find it hard to live down its refusal to allow Mr. C. George McCullagh, of Toronto, the use of its national network to give talks on public problems. Mr. McCullagh is the publisher of The Toronto Globe and Mail, which is a non-partisan newspaper. The ban placed on him by the C.B.C. has, however, been defeated, inasmuch as his views have been made public over private radio stations in the East, and certain newspapers, incensed at the restriction on liberty of utterance by a reputed citizen of the country, gave extended publicity to Mr. McCullagh's talks. Therefore, whatever a Government-owned organization decreed, he was not muzzled. Liberty of speech prevailed, even though a socialized broadcasting service sought to curtail it.

It is said that the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation is free from governmental interference. It is, however, only nominally an independent body. It is responsible to the Government. "If," says The Montreal Gazette, "the corporation had set out with the deliberate intention of harming the Prime Minister politically, and at the same time of outraging his most cherished principles, it could not have chosen a more effective means . . . It has become obvious that if this corporation and its governors are not to commit other, if less egregious, blunders, some closer control must be exercised over them. They are not in Germany, and they are not in Italy. They are in a country of free people; whose servants they are and whose masters they most emphatically are not."

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 7:00 p.m., January 21, 1939.

SYNOPSIS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS

A deep depression is centred northwest of Queen Charlotte Islands, which has caused gales, with rain, on the North Coast. The weather has become colder over Central British Columbia, with light snowfalls in the Cariboo district.

Sub-zero temperatures have become general in Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

(Precipitation for twelve hours to 5:00 p.m.; temperatures for twenty-four hours.)

	Precipitation	Min	Max.
Victoria	..	34	42
Nanaimo	..	30	43
Vancouver	..	30	44
Kamloops	..	16	22
Prince George	.10	4*	24
Estevan Point		30	44
Prince Rupert	.14	34	42
Langara	.24	36	44
Atlin	..	8	28
Dawson	..	20	14
Seattle	..	36	48
Portland	..	36	50
San Francisco	..	48	50
Spokane		28	32
Los Angeles	1.71	52	54
Penticton	..	22	
Vernon	..	8	..
Kelowna	..	12	27
Grand Forks	..	2	20
Nelson	..	12	27
Kaslo	..	16	..
Cranbrook	..	2	24
Calgary	..	2	14
Edmonton	..	16*	12
Swift Current	..	8*	0
Moose Jaw	..	4*	..
Prince Albert	..	14*	8*
Qu'Appelle	..	14*	4
Winnipeg	.14	18*	20

* Below zero.

SATURDAY

Minimum	34
Maximum	42
Average	38
Minimum on the grass	30

Weather, cloudy; sunshine, Jan. 21, 1 hr., 30 min.

5:00 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.16; wind, NE., 6 miles; cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.18; wind, SE., 4 miles; cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.38; wind, W., 4 miles; cloudy.

Prince George—Barometer, 30.12; wind, S., 14 miles; snowing.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.64; wind, SE., 38 miles; raining.

Langara—Barometer, 29.48; wind, S., 20 miles; fair.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.10; wind, SE., 20 miles; cloudy.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.08; wind, E., 32 miles; cloudy.

Portland—Barometer, 30.08; wind, NE., 12 miles; cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.12; wind, N., 4 miles; cloudy.

Note and Comment

By Sandham Graves

May I tell you the story of Five-Alarm Dan? The broth of a fireman, match him who can? He's first at a fire, and the last one to leave it. Once he was trapped—though you'll scarcely believe it—by the devil himself! But that is the record, and ever since then Dan has been seeking his lordship to ask a small favor. Even to think of it makes me all of a quaver.

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As a stripling young Dan ranked with the best, and early it was that he got his first test. A five-alarm fire at a mill, so they say; where the flames were so great they turned night into day. It might have been less, but the sprinklers had jammed, and fire roared with abandon, like souls that are dammed to flames everlasting.

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Dan dragged a power-nozzle right into the blaze where flames shot their highest. His companions, amazed, stood open-mouthed, wondering to see a recruit tackle a fire as if it were fruit and he was a farmer spraying the trees, while the flames piled up higher and roared on the breeze.

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"Look out," bellowed the captain, "that wall's coming down!" But Dan, heeding no man, stood with a frown and washed down the fire where it rose in a crown. And there in the furnace, where none else else dared to go, was Daniel the rookie, playing it so the water fell right on the spot where it needed to go. "Get back, or you're lost!" the megaphone said—but Daniel just smiled and, shaking his head, stepped clear of the wall as it tumbled down flat on the place he had been.

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Well, Dan licked that fire, though blinking and tired, beat it out cold; then stood on the ruins until the last ember turned black and expired. His eyebrows were singed. His face was all black. His coat was in shreds. He'd a scar on his back where a firebrand had fallen and burned to the skin. Then he closed off the nozzle and said, with a grin, "There's one for his lordship—right on the chin!"

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Now, firemen will tell you when flames roll into pillars and sweep into the sky like thousand-tongued killers, that the devil himself gets into a fire, and stokes it up high, like a devilish spire that spreads at the base and licks higher and higher, until it burns out at the top. They look for the crown, at the heart of the blaze, as Daniel had done, though it wasn't three days he'd been in uniform.

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It didn't take long for such a broth of a lad to rise in the service where men admire courage and always are glad to welcome a fighter who stands to his hose and plays like a madman, no matter how the wind blows. They made Daniel first class, then lieutenant, then captain, and gave him a company all of his own. But away in the heart of the earth where he smarted, the devil was nursing a grudge against Dan.

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Fires came, were put out or smoldered by crews that fought back, stood pat, or just soldiered; but the devil sought Dan, and Dan looked for his lordship in a feud that grew stronger with battles and hardship. Then came a day when Daniel was trapped, with an arm pinned by a stanchion and debris that fell when supports had been sapped. Dan glared at the devil; the devil at Dan, saying, "Get out from there with my leave—if you can!"

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Daniel said nothing but waited in pain as the fire burned the stanchion right up to his arm. Then he struggled half upright, caught up the hose, washed a hole under the burning debris, crawled through to safety, and there he was—free! "Come back," said the devil, "I'll make you the Chief of my stokers. I'll let you tend fires that burn half of the world, and all of the liars. I'll put you in charge of a wonderful crew who'll do whatever you tell them to do. You'll be boss; under me, of the whole bally crew."

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For a second Dan wavered. A Chief is a Chief—between you and me—and something Daniel always had wanted to be. "But how can I tell that you'd do what you say?" he asked of his lordship, which is to say he didn't believe him. "Come back, and you'll find that I do as I say," the devil replied. Dan shook his head. "Maybe some day," he responded, and then took his leave so doctors could work on what once was an arm, but now is a sleeve.

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But oft in the still of a calm Winter's night, Daniel will muse on that curious fright he had from his lordship. And at times he'll say, but only in fun, perhaps some time he might take the job, if the pay included some privileges—that is to say, the right to name one or two folks that he knew to go in the furnace for one day or two. Dan sits now in the engine-house, smoking his pipe. The horses have gone and so has the job, because he has retired on a pension, you see. You needn't believe it, but that is the story as it came to me.

The Observation Car

By THE EDITORIAL STAFF

Unappreciative Audience

On reaching the family homestead at London, Ont., a local sightseeing company executive was surprised and delighted when presented with a genuine Stradivarius violin that belonged to his great-great-grandfather. Soon after his return to the city, he learned to grind out "Comin' Through the Rye," much to the discomfort of his neighbors. They pointed out the "Rye" song was both out of tune and inappropriate, since the would-be musician's taste ran to either "suds" or "Scotch." They were all of the opinion that the ancient instrument should be safely stowed away for good in a safety deposit vault. . . . Our tobacconist friend told us a married man's motto should be: "I would rather compromise than be right." . . . "Name the uses of skin," a local schoolboy was asked by his teacher. "It makes you look more natural. It does not show your ribs or your insides, and it keeps the wind from getting in," the lad replied. . . . After glancing over the front page of his paper, Bill, the Broad Street barber, remarked that the dove of peace apparently is not risking a flight over Europe. —G.B.

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New Under the Sun

The following, culled from a popular magazine, shows that there has been no depression or recession in the working of fertile imaginations: "An innovation to be found on the market this year are the plush animals that blink electric eyes at the slightest friendly stroke. A school teacher recently thought up oil-silk spats for women. They fold up to the size of a compact and come out of the purse and zip over the stockings when the liquid-sunshine comes down. A widow thought a hot water bottle fitted to the contours of the face like a domino mask would be a fine aid to the complexion. She didn't realize until the mask was on the market that it would be a boon to sinus sufferers too." Despite the absurd trends in Milady's millinery, thinking-caps are still popular in some quarters. The above inventions, a few among many on which patents have been applied for, are all the results of what a few home-makers accomplished when they donned the famous headpiece. —L.A.G.

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Glancing Over Sport

Victoria's two six-day bike ambassadors are off again tomorrow to compete in the fastest company in the world. They are, of course, Torchy and Doug Peden, who head for Cleveland to open the 1939 schedule. Later in the season the boys will fly to San Francisco to ride in the special race at the big exposition. They may also take in another trip to London. . . . Fred Tooby, connected with juvenile football, makes an appeal for a dressing-room for the teams at Victoria West Park. I think it's a good idea, not only at this ground, but also out at Heywood Avenue, where the seniors play weekly. Let's hope the city parks board swings into action and erects some places for the teams to strip during inclement days. . . . It should be Joe Louis all the way next Wednesday against John Henry Lewis in the Garden. An easy victory inside of eight rounds or less. Still, on the other hand, there may be another big upset in the heavyweight merry-go-round. . . . Just think, next month the big league ball clubs will be heading for the training camps. And it doesn't seem so long ago that we were finishing off the remains of the Christmas turkey. . . . Congratulations to Jack Wormald for being elected head of the Tillicum Athletic Club for a fifth successive term. —J.D.

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual vestry meeting of St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, will be held in St. Mary's Hall, Yale Street, tomorrow at 8 p.m. for the purpose of receiving and passing the year's accounts, and of electing people's warden, church committee, lay representatives to the Synod, etc. All adult parishioners are asked to attend to hear the various reports and to make any suggestions arising out of same.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily Colonist of January 22, 1889)

Wedding Bells—At Christ Church Cathedral last evening was celebrated the marriage of George W. Anderson, of Shore & Anderson, and son of G. W. Anderson, Esq., M.P.P., Lake District, to Emma J., eldest daughter of Henry Mansell, Esq., merchant, of this city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. Beanlands in the presence of a large congregation. The service concluded, the wedding party adjourned to the residence of the bride's parents. The happy couple are well known in Victoria and highly esteemed, and were the recipients of many handsome presents.

Wrecked at Sooke—During the high wind which prevailed on Wednesday night last, the schooner Triumph, owned by George Byrnes, was driven on shore near Sooke and completely wrecked. She had just completed her cargo of hay and potatoes for Young Bros., of this city, and had set sail for Victoria when the wind became boisterous and the two men in the schooner lost control of her. Both men escaped with their lives, but the schooner is a complete wreck. The cargo was valued at $250.

Tenders for Bridges—Tenders are invited by the chief commissioner of lands and works, up to noon of Thursday, March 7, for the erection of bridges over the North Arm of the Fraser River to connect Lulu and Sea Islands with each other and the Mainland.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 400 words in length.

PROPOSED ISLAND ROADS

Sir,—According to the report of a luncheon meeting of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, Mr. J. I. Mutter, of Port Renfrew, stressed the advantage of speeding work on the road from Victoria and pointed out that the interests in Duncan were advocating a continuance of the road from Lake Cowichan to Port Renfrew, and warned his hearers that the building of the latter road would result in diverting the benefit of the West Coast monthly payroll from Victoria to Vancouver.

Reports in recent months indicate that the Victoria Chamber of Commerce is consistently opposed to any road connection between Duncan and Port Renfrew via Lake Cowichan until the Jordan River road to Renfrew is completed. This, we feel, is a policy which not only discriminates against the rest of the Island and British Columbia, but is also detrimental to the interests of Port Renfrew area.

One of those at the meeting is reported to have stated he discovered men in the Shawnigan Lake area working on a road from Duncan to Port Renfrew. This is quite incorrect as the Shawnigan Lake Relief Camp men are engaged in work that has nothing to do with the road advocated by this chamber.

Duncan Chamber of Commerce is not opposing the West Coast Road but is advocating construction of the Lake Cowichan-Port Renfrew Road as the easiest, quickest possible and cheapest connection between the east coast and the west coast industrial area that can be secured: And we deem early connection of Renfrew with the outside by road to be essential and vital to the Island and British Columbia, and in particular to Renfrew itself.

The easy grades and need for few bridges on the Robertson River route were recognized years ago and preliminary surveys were made. In 1930 Dr. King, then Minister of Public Works, seriously considered building this road. Those familiar with the proposal recall that the estimated cost was about $80,000. For the West Coast Road a cost of $500,000 was estimated.

Construction of the Robertson River Road was considered justified then; we believe it to be more than justified now. The country through which it would pass has since been opened up and many miles of logging grades have been built which could be utilized. Few people recognize that, from the end of a railroad running inland from Lake Cowichan to the end of a railroad running in from San Juan Bay is a distance of only nine miles through easy road-building country. Of the West Coast Road to Renfrew, we are informed that twenty-eight miles through difficult ground remain to be completed.

G. P. MacMULLAN,
Secretary,
Duncan Chamber of Commerce.
Duncan, B.C., January 20, 1939.

UNEMPLOYMENT

Sir,—As one of the unfortunate victims of this continuing depression, I read with interest your editorial in yesterday's Colonist. Canada of all countries has least excuse for unemployment. But the figure of 900 million dollars, spent in nine years for aid, works, and relief projects, is an appalling expenditure for experiments in provision for perpetuating poverty and needless distress.

If the Governments of Canada were the people of Canada, I would say we deserve to lose the country to the Germans and the Japanese, but the Governments do not work for the people, but for themselves and their satellites.

It is a cruel, soulless political system which runs and ruins Canada, which will not allow any remedy for unemployment to be introduced, which might threaten to put the heavy barnacled ship of state into drydock for a paint and clean up. A real remedy for unemployment will not come to us through needless work upon our roads and streets, and building schemes within our municipalities, but from first personal contact with the possibilities of opening up new territory for settlement and the creation of new wealth by the hands and labor of our unemployed.

If the millions which have been spent on relief work in municipalities and provinces had been given as subsidies to the same people (for the most part) in schemes of settlement in new towns and districts, on a system of co-operative labor credits, we would have had strings of busy towns by now, all up the Pacific Coast territory and along the main line of the C.N.R., and in other districts. We have not, because the fate of the Dominion is being sacrificed on the altar of political party solidarity; but the rats have not sensed the danger yet of the sinking ship, so the spendermania goes on, while a disunited population lies helpless in a quandary.

It seems hopeless, but may I appeal again to give the unemployed a chance to work out their own prosperity by co-operative effort, in settling and developing new territory, in their own approved way?

A better way to settle the vexed question of Japanese migration is to crowd them out by rapid settlement of our Canadian people along the coasts and in the interior by definite united co-operative effort, financed and backed by the Government to the point of relief allowances. The promised road to Port Renfrew is a political farce. The refusal to consider the road from Campbell River to Nootka is a century blunder, and our youth pass through an expensive educational system to rot in hopeless idleness, because our Governments have only politicians to govern the country while statesmanship is smothered up somewhere in the archives of stately buildings, now become an attraction for tourists. Oh, that politics would fly away somewhere, so the attributes of plain common sense might get down to business, and solve our problems for us.

JAMES MOYES.
115 Regina Avenue, Victoria, B.C.
January 19, 1939.

DR. MANION AND IMMIGRATION

Sir,—It is quite clear that Dr. Manion has been misquoted as to his stand on immigration following his recent speech in Quebec. That he was referring to general and unassisted immigration is quite clear from the account of his speech appearing in The Canadian, dated January 1, and also in The Quebec Chronicle-Telegraph, dated December 15, 1938. He did not at any time address his remarks to the Conservative policy of encouraging British immigration to this country with proper economic safeguards.

It will be well for those opposed to British immigration not to jump too readily to the conclusion that the Leader of the Conservative Party has views at variance with the resolution adopted at the Ottawa convention last July, which resolution the writer had the honor to draft in its original form, and it might be useful to quote the resolution so that there may be no misunderstanding as to what the attitude of the National Conservative Party is in this connection so settled by the convention.

"(a) This party recognizes the unity of Canada under Confederation and that her future lies within the British Empire, under the Crown.

"(b) In order to insure the continuance of the British connection and Canada's participation in the benefits that accrue from membership in the British Commonwealth of Nations, and the economic welfare and safety of Canada, this party recognizes the immediate necessity of our Government approaching the Government of the United Kingdom and discussing and deciding upon a policy for the selected migration of British families from Great Britain and Ireland under a carefully prepared plan, whereby ample and proper provision will be made for British financing and supervision, and the return of families found unable to fit into the national and economic life of Canada; and be it further understood that similar advantages be extended to France.

"(c) That we are opposed to any scheme of immigration that will multiply the difficulties of unemployment."

ROBERT D. HARVEY,
Chairman Publicity Committee,
Victoria Conservative Association.
603-606 Central Building, Victoria, B.C., Jan. 19, 1939.

Tides at Victoria

JANUARY

Time of tides (Pacific standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1939.

Date	Time H. M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H. M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H. M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H. M.	Ht. Ft.
1	......		9 53	9.4			18 17	2.0
2	......		10 24	9.8			18 55	2.1
3	......		11 04	10.0			19 35	1.4
4			11 46	10.1			20 15	0.9
5	5 30	8.4	7 22	9.3	12 21	10.1	20 50	0.7
6	5 27	9.4	6 36	9.0	13 14	9.8	21 35	0.9
7	5 55	8.6	9 41	7.7	14 08	9.2	22 16	1.3
8	6 23	9.9	10 47	7.3	15 03	8.6	23 00	2.0
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The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of low water.

To find the depth of low water on the sill of the Esquimalt Drydock, add 16.9 feet to the height of high water as above given.

Extension Lecture
Topic Censorship

Professor J. E. Morsh will lecture on "Propaganda and Censorship" on Monday evening at 8:15 in the Central Junior High School, under the auspices of the University Extension Association. Professor Morsh is in the Department of Philosophy and Psychology at the University of British Columbia. The public is invited to hear this lecture.

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Preparing to Train Fishermen's Reserve In Manoeuvres Here

Officer Explains Duties of New Unit—Twenty Boats on Way From Prince Rupert—Ten to Come From Vancouver

VANCOUVER, Jan. 21 (C.)—Lieut.-Commander Colin Donald, of the Royal Canadian Navy, visited Vancouver today to complete arrangements for the fishermen's reserve manoeuvres being maugurated off Victoria late this month.

Ten of the forty fishing boats taking part in the exercises will be from Vancouver, he said. Some twenty others are already on their way to Victoria from Prince Rupert. The others will be from Vancouver Island points.

Explaining the duties of the new unit which will be used to help the navy defend the British Columbia Coast in war time, Commander Donald said:

"There could be no better nucleus for a naval defence force than men of this type. They know every mile of British Columbia's coast line, details which are not marked on Canadian or British Admiralty charts.

"It will be a mobile force equipped with machine guns and wireless, and will patrol places where there is not enough water to permit navigation of larger naval vessels.

"We are concentrating this year on selecting the right type of men rather than the type of coat. One of the jobs in case of war would be to pick up aliens along the coast, and one of the particular points of patrol would be the west coast of the Queen Charlotte Islands.

SUBMARINE PATROL

"That part would be an ideal base for enemy submarines to operate from, as there is little exact knowledge of ocean depths and location of innumerable coves and inlets."

Each of the boats used in the Fishermen's Reserve will be of the regular fishing type, manned by a skipper, a recognized naval rank, and an average of four men.

At Esquimalt, they will receive twenty-seven days' training in tactics, gunnery and communication.

Continuation of Street Cars Here Not Settled Yet

WHETHER the electors will have to approve of any extension that may be granted the B.C. Electric Railway Company, Ltd., to operate street cars here remains an unsettled question. Following a conference with A. D. King and R. B. Mathews, company solicitors, the following statement was made yesterday by Forrest L. Shaw, city solicitor: "Mr. King agreed the only alternative to submission of a by-law to the electors would be for the company to agree to indemnify the city against any action that might be taken over the tram extension. Thus, if the City Council had exceeded its powers, and legal action was taken by any ratepayer or organization, the company would have to assume full responsibility. Mr. King has written to headquarters at Vancouver, and expects to have a reply on Monday. It is a question of protecting the city's rights."

COURTENAY VETERAN IS LAID TO REST

COURTENAY, Jan. 21.—Thomas Haddon, aged sixty-five years, died at his home on the Cumberland Road here Wednesday. As a result of war services he had been in poor health for a number of years, and last Friday was taken seriously ill.

Mr. Haddon enlisted with the 102nd Battalion in 1916, and trained on the Comox Spit before going overseas. He was badly wounded and invalided home, when he took up a small farm on the Cumberland Road.

Funeral services were held on Saturday afternoon from St. George's United Church, Courtenay, under auspices of the Canadian Legion for interment in the United Church Cemetery, Sandwick. Rev. Peter Henderson officiated, and pallbearers were J. Perkins, H. Stuart Baker, J. Catchpole, J. Barton, Fred Field and Frank Quinn.

J. WITTCOMB IS BRANCH LEADER

Choice of Members of Naval Veterans' Unit of Canadian Legion For President

Joseph Wittcomb was elected president of the Naval Veterans' Branch, No. 42, Canadian Legion, at the annual meeting, Friday evening, in the clubrooms.

Commander C. H. R. Slingsby was chosen first vice-president, and R. E. Beaven was named second vice-president.

A. B. Ford was the unit's choice for treasurer, by acclamation, and the executive committee follows: E. S. Michell, Commander R. Bourke, G. A. Renton, W. De Gruchy, J. H. Temple, D. O'Brien, Dr. E. W. Boak, W. H. Dallaway, R. Ryley and J. W. Tharratt.

Finances of the branch were reported to be in a satisfactory condition.

Obituary

MERRIX — In this city there passed away yesterday Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Merrix, of 1376 Monterey Avenue, Oak Bay. Born at Westfield, Sussex, England, Mrs. Merrix who was eighty-seven years of age, had resided at Toronto and later Vancouver before moving to this city ten years ago. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. J. Burden, Monterey Avenue; two brothers, Harry and Alfred Neeves, in England; a granddaughter, Mrs. C. Ivings, 1918 Lulie Street; a grandson, Kenneth J. Burden, Monterey Avenue; also two great granddaughters. Funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Rev. O. L. Jull will officiate and interment will take place in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

FAREY—Mrs. Selina Farey, aged sixty-four, 3293a Douglas Street, passed away in the Royal Jubilee Hospital yesterday. She was born in London, England, and had been a resident of Victoria for the past twenty-five years. She is survived by her husband, George Farey; four sons, Albert, in London; Arthur, George and Edward, and one daughter, Mrs. Ellen Renaud, all of Victoria. The remains are resting in Sands Mortuary, Ltd. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

HARDWICK—At the family residence on Centre Road, Sidney, on Friday afternoon, there passed away Mrs. Annie Edith Frances Hardwick, aged seventy-seven years, wife of Richard Hardwick. Mrs. Hardwick was born in Franklin, Ont., and had been a resident of Sidney for the last twenty years. She is mourned by, besides her husband, two nieces, the Misses Edith and Florence Lumsden, Vancouver; a nephew, Frank Lumsden, Vancouver, and two nieces, Violet Lumsden and Ida Goddard, Edmonton. The funeral will take place on Monday afternoon from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home at 2 o'clock. Rev. T. R. Lancaster will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

DUKE—The death occurred at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Saturday afternoon of Mrs. Eliza Baird Duke, wife of Ernest Duke, Holland Avenue, Saanich. Besides her husband, she is mourned by two sons, John E. and Robert C., and three grandchildren. The remains are resting at McCall Bros.' Funeral Home, from where the cortege will proceed at 3 o'clock on Monday afternoon to St. Michael's Church, Royal Oak, where services will be held at 3:30 o'clock. Rev. S. J. Wickens will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in the churchyard.

Is President of High School Alumni

DOUGLAS HILL-TOUT

WHO is president of the recently-formed Victoria High School Alumni Association. Good progress has been made since the organization was launched, and the drive for members in proceeding satisfactorily.

WARD FOUR LIBERALS

Ward Four Liberals will meet at the Liberal headquarters at 8 p.m. next Wednesday. A full attendance is requested, as important business will be dealt with.

AMENDMENT TO ACT REQUESTED

S.P.C.A. Victoria Committee Concerned Over Number Of Accidents to Dogs

As the result of a report by the inspector to the effect that a large number of dogs had been hit by motor cars, the Victoria Committee of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, at its regular meeting, decided to approach the Attorney-General with a request that the Motor Vehicles Act should be amended to make it compulsory for drivers of cars to report accidents involving animals.

The Department of Indian Affairs at Ottawa will be asked to have a law enacted prohibiting the abuse of animals by Indians throughout Canada, and making proper care of them compulsory.

A member of the committee, whose business brings him into close touch with fishermen, stated that he had repeatedly been told by them that the sea lions were not responsible for the damage to the fishing nets. Written evidence of this will be procured and a further appeal made to the Federal authorities to discontinue the annual slaughter of these animals on their rookeries.

It is proposed to try to have the section of the Criminal Code dealing with the shipment of animals amended to provide that cattle conveyed by car or vessel shall not be confined for a longer period than twenty-four hours, in place of thirty-six hours.

Forty-nine cases were attended and 304 animals inspected during the month, the inspector reported.

Cases of cruelty or neglect should be reported to the inspector, G. A. Allen, phone E8351; to A. R. Sherwood, secretary-treasurer, or to the office, 304 Jones Block.

LEGION BRANCH ELECTS BOARD

COURTENAY, Jan. 21. — J. H. Boffy was elected president of the Courtenay Branch of the Canadian Legion at the annual meeting held here this week. J. Hornby is first vice-president, Ben Hughes second vice-president, George Denholm secretary, and F. W. Tull treasurer. Members of the executive are Frank Quinn, H. S. Baker, H. P. Allberry, G. W. Roberts and Rev. F. C. Chapman.

A successful year financially, with a small surplus balance, was reported by the treasurer. During the year the hall had been extended, eighteen cases assisted, and four small loans made to members. All these loans had been repaid, it was pointed out.

An intensive drive for new members, with the objective of enrolling every ex-serviceman in the district, will be made this year.

ANNUAL MEETING OF CHURCH HELD

D. R. Park and G. Bridgewood Elected to Board of Managers Of Gorge Church

At the annual meeting of the Gorge Presbyterian Church, held in the church, Rev. T. H. MacAllister was chairman and R. W. H. Trowsdale was elected to act as secretary of the meeting.

Reports from the following societies were read: Session, by W. Sanders; board of managers, R. W. H. Trowsdale; B. of M., W. Sanders; Ladies' Aid, Mrs. MacAllister and Mrs. E. A. Martin; W.M.S., Mrs. J. F. Boyd; Mission Band, Mrs. R. Peasland; Sunday school, Miss K. Hamilton and Mrs. E. A. Martin; C.G.I.T., Miss Ada R. Burt; girls' choir, Mrs. Holmes.

All reports were very encouraging and showed the church was making progress over previous years. The financial reports showed that all societies ended with a credit, the congregation being entirely out of debt.

The new business dealt with the election of two new members to the board of managers for a term of three years. D. R. Park and G. Bridgewood were elected. The auditors elected for the ensuing year were B. Johnson and R. W. H. Trowsdale. After the meeting adjourned, tea was served by the ladies of the congregation.

Braille Books Now Available To Blind Here

From the main library of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind in Toronto, and from the Mary McIntyre Memorial Library in Winnipeg, blind persons resident in Canada and Newfoundland are privileged to borrow books in Braille and Moon type, and talking book records. There are over 22,000 volumes in embossed type in these two libraries, and 221 titles in talking book form. There is no membership fee and no charge made for loaning books. Postage on embossed literature is free. The small postage charges on talking book records are taken care of by the institute.

Members of the home-teaching staff of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind are sent to any locality in Canada where there is a blind person wishing to learn Braille typing or any form of handicraft suitable for blind home-workers.

The Braille Courier, a magazine of general interest, printed in Braille by the Canadian National Institute for the Blind, is sent without charge to any registered blind person in Canada or Newfoundland, desiring to receive it. The Braille Courier is issued ten times a year.

Work of this kind in Victoria is financed by the Community Chest.

NEW INDUSTRY AT COURTENAY PLANNED

COURTENAY, Jan. 21.—Promise of a new industry at Courtenay is seen in the tentative application to the city council by Messrs. Inkster and Thompson, Nanaimo, to erect a sash and door factory here. It is planned to erect a two-storey building, 60x80, on Simms Island, adjacent to the Courtenay River at the Island Highway. The proposed plant would be electrically operated by current supplied from the municipally-owned system.

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CHAPTER LIII

Don Louder's orchestra from New York played divine melody hits during dinner, as only a famous group of bandsmen can play. This was interspersed and accompanied by a low hum of voices, the polite clatter of china and glass. There were bons mots from liquor-sharpened brains, now and then a tinkle of feminine laughter, a restrained guffaw from a male. In another half hour this party of half a hundred people would be wide awake, noisier.

Even now in this environment it was futile to try to concentrate on one's own problems. Kay was attempting it, but failing miserably. She was very white against the dull black of her gown. She sat between Webb and Harry Aberdeen, wearing a set smile, but speaking seldom.

Webb was openly making love to Kitty West beside him. She was a cute, dark, southern beauty, the house guest of Aberilla Jenkins. Joe Culders had been dating her assiduously during the past week, and now was furious, if his face denoted anything. Kay, however, was relieved. She was too near a day of reckoning. Webb's interest elsewhere might tend to postpone it.

Not until Webb began to tell Kitty a befuddled story about unsolved murders, which sounded as if it might lead into dangerous channels, did Kay interrupt him. She remarked firmly, "You're not eating your dinner, Webb. Try the squab—it may sharpen your memory."

"Ye-ah?"

He glared at her savagely. "Hold hands with Harry, will you? I jus'—can't trust you."

She detested his crudeness, but managed an indifferent shrug. Someone laughed at him, others took it up, and the pivotal moment swung into frothy inconsequence. A little of Kay's tenseness evaporated with a sigh.

"I tell you," Webb insisted in a louder tone, "you're too——"

He made a sweeping gesture with his arm, and a glassful of champagne dashed into Kay's lap.

"Oh!" she cried, springing up.

Waiters tried to mop up her soaked skirt, the dripping lace tablecloth.

Harry took Kay by the elbow and led her from the room.

"This is—dreadful!" came from her in a half sob. "Webb—making such a scene!"

"The damned fool!" Harry said, under his breath.

"I'll get her wrap and take her home, Harry," said a firm voice behind them. "I came stag—you brought Lucille Stone, didn't you?"

Harry flashed Chuck Nourse a defeated glance. "Yes," he said, now furious at himself for having tied his evening to any woman but Kay.

Kay, her face drained white, stoutly faced Chuck Nourse. She couldn't comprehend his sudden interest in her welfare. Only a short hour before, he had barely been civil to her.

"May I take you home while you change?" Chuck asked, with the embarrassment of a boy at his first party.

A look flitted across her face that was surprise, then happiness.

"Please do," she responded.

Chuck disappeared almost immediately up the stairs to get her wrap. Harry waited below with Kay, trying to be optimistic.

"When you return, Kay," he said, his heart in his eyes, "I'd like to dance with you—a lot of times."

She bit her lip. Her blue eyes were very wide luminous. He wished he had been the one to make them so.

"You're—you're sweet, Harry," she said gently. "It's too bad I'm not in love with you."

"Then—don't make the mistake of marrying a man you can't love."

Fortunately Chuck arrived with her wrap just then and she could avoid answering.

Chuck laid the black velvet gently across her shoulders, thinking, "For once, I'm in luck. Webb so far gone he won't miss her; this necessary trip home for a fresh gown; Harry brought a girl. Perfect!"

Some of this was revealed in his assured air when he handed her into his convertible coupe. She sensed his elation and settled beside him in happy abandon. She was so close to him that she could smell the clean freshness of his recently shaved face. A feeling of security came over her. He started the motor and they whirled out to the street. She was all right now, she was safe. Would that these few minutes of his companionship would never end.

Chuck had nothing particular to say to her for several long throbbing minutes. If was as if his feelings were too deep to be expressed in words, or that he had too much to express, so much that it stifled speech.

Now and then she glanced at his clean-cut profile when they paused at a red light. But his square jaw was sternly set, he looked like a man to whom suffering had become a habit.

"It's very kind of you, Chuck—to do this for me," she finally hazarded.

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Alexander Drummond, self-admitted ringleader of the group which sent a threatening letter to the physician, was sentenced to twenty years in Federal Prison. William John Jackson was given a ten-year term, and Tony Bogdon, who was employed to pick up the package supposed to contain the money, was sentenced to two years.

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WILL WIND UP SEAL CAMPAIGN

Kiwanis Club Wants Tuberculosis Stickers Accounted For by January 31

January 31 has been designated as seal sale "wind up" day, according to an announcement of the chairman of the T.B. seal committee of the Victoria Kiwanis Club. The purpose is to speed payment of the Christmas seals sent out last December. There are still a large number of seals unaccounted for. The committee feels they have been mislaid or forgotten unintentionally.

Christmas seals that are not paid for do not fight tuberculous. Many of those unable to buy seals at all this year have returned them with courteous notes of appreciation in which they expressed their interest and good will. A large number of people have sent money, more than the stamps enclosed called for, some have paid for their allotment and others kept as many as they could afford.

The Victoria Kiwanis Club urges that those who have not already done so act, as they are more than eager to wind up this campaign and to know just what funds are available for their re-habilitation work.

During the recent campaign, approximately 12,000 seal letters were dispatched and up to date only a little over half this number has been heard from. Actual receipts were very good and compare favorably with amounts received in previous years. To date, the total is $3,277.99.

Injured by Fall Into Ship's Hold

VANCOUVER, Jan. 21 (CP).—Miss Ursula Finlay was in hospital tonight with injuries to her shoulder suffered today when she fell through a hatch into a hold of the steamship Quebec City, berthed here.

Hospital attendants reported her condition good.

RADIO TECHNICIANS

Members of the Victoria Section, Associated Radio Technicians of British Columbia, will meet tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock in the studios of radio station CFCT in the Central Building. After being shown the new equipment in the studio, they will proceed to Portage Inlet, where they will be conducted through the transmitter building by Roland Watson, assistant operator at the station, who will explain the improvements associated with the new installation.

Announcements

Is There a Woman whose soul is so dead to beauty that she is able to remain indifferent to that most ugly of disfigurements, superfluous hair? No! In her heart she just hates it — but fears, which are groundless, often prevent her from taking the necessary steps to have it removed. Call and see Miss Hanman. Fear may be your companion when you enter her office, but happiness and relief will accompany you when you leave. 503 Sayward Building, Victoria. Phone G 7642.

Come and enjoy an evening of harmony and humor by the Imperial Male Quartette, Miss Phyllis Deaville and the Groves Entertainers from Hollywood. Auspices of Premier Loyal Orange Lodge, No. 1610. Hall, 725 Courtney Street, Monday, 8 P.M., January 23. Admission 25c.

First United Church Choir presents Gilbert and Sullivan's "Trial by Jury," church schoolroom, Wednesday and Thursday, February 1 and 2, at 8 p.m. Tickets 25 cents each to be had from choir members. Proceeds for organ fund.

Women's Canadian Club and Musical Arts Society members and friends, Empress Hotel, Tuesday, January 24, at 2:45 p.m. Speaker, Mrs. J. O. Cameron, on "Under Many Flags." Soloist, Mrs. T. H. Johns; Mrs. Warn, accompanist.

We Appeal for Clothes and superfluities to raise money by rummage and superfluities sale to be held shortly. Will call for, or please send to Medical Aid for China, 1426 Government, 2 to 5 p.m. E 4725.

The Officers and Members of Court Camosun, A.O.F., are requested to attend the church service being held by the benevolent societies this afternoon at St. John's Church at 3 o'clock.

University Extension Lecture, Monday, January 23, 8:15 p.m., Central Junior High School; speaker, Professor Morsh; subject, "Propaganda and Censorship."

Victoria School of Expression Junior, senior and adult classes now commencing. Speech, voice, public speaking. G 5525.

Auspices Children's Aid: Pupils Russian Ballet School and Victoria School Expression; Memorial Hall, Tuesday 8 p.m. Tickets 35c door.

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Dr. Cecil J. Clavion, dentist, 602 Sayward Building. Telephone E 1851.

Performers' Club Resumes Routine

The Performers' Club held the first of its 1939 meetings last night at the home of Miss Margaret Pringle, 1514 Gladstone Avenue, and enjoyed a delightful impromptu programme of vocal and pianoforte numbers by the members. This lasted until about 11 o'clock, after which refreshments were served, and arrangements discussed for the next meeting, which will take place in February, on a date to be announced later, at the home of Miss Maquinna Daniels. In addition to the hostess, Miss Pringle, there were present last night: Miss Daniels, Miss Evelyn Harper, Miss Grace Genn, Miss Winnifred Elliott, Miss Isobel Pike, Miss Phyllis Deaville, Miss Catherine Denison and Miss Helen Winn. Two members unable to be present, Miss Dorothy Parsons and Miss Betty Sledge, sent messages of regret.

B.C. PLAYERS IN VICTORIES

Eric Leney, Duncan, Among Winners in Washington Shuttle Meet

SPOKANE, Wash., Jan. 21 (AP).—Upsets and the anticipated fast play of champions marked progressive rounds of play in the Washington State badminton tournament here tonight.

In the women's singles Doreen Dunnett, Nelson, B.C., defeated Esther Moe, Spokane; Lollie Ellis, Calgary, defeated Doris Druding, Wallace, Idaho, and Sara Lee Williams, Spokane, won over Marion Butler, Seattle.

In the men's singles Eric Leney, Duncan, B.C., defeated Bob Deacon, Seattle; J. W. Willis, Spokane, defeated Robert Graham, Bozeman, Mont.; Sidney Pinch, Seattle, won from Dr. Paul Eneboe, Bozeman, by default; Norman Mustart, Duncan, B.C., defeated Bob Weaver, Metalme, B.C.

Other winners were Keith Gibson, Calgary; John Samis, Vancouver, B.C.; Art Godfrey, Nelson; Robert Topp, Seattle; Dick Ycager, Seattle; Alan France, Kelowna, B.C.; Stuart Bernard, Vancouver; Bill Pentland, Calgary, and Hamilton Law, Seattle.

URGE RESCINDING OF REGULATIONS

The Victoria District Council, Civil Service Federation of Canada, which is representative of all Federal servants on Vancouver Island, met in Victoria on Friday.

The most important subject under discussion was that of the Civil Service regulations, which have been in existence since the depression, requiring that 20 per cent of all "inside" civil servants, and 10 per cent of all "outside" civil servants, be temporary employees. A resolution requesting the rescinding of these regulations was approved and ordered to be forwarded to the Federation at Ottawa without delay.

A committee consisting of W. Knotts, J. Hedley, T. W. Kerswell, with R. Riley as chairman, was appointed to take charge of all arrangements in connection with the dance to be held by the Victoria district council at the Crystal Garden on Friday, February 10. A. E. Prisby, divisional vice-president of the Civil Service Federation of Ottawa, presided, with T. Brien, of the Department of National Defence, acting as secretary.

PROMINENT HALIFAX LUMBERMAN PASSES

HALIFAX, Jan. 21 (CP).—W. H. Piers, seventy-two, prominent Halifax citizen and associated for many years with the lumber firm of Brookfield Brothers, Ltd., died at his home here today after several weeks' illness. He was a native of Halifax. Lieut. Desmond Piers, of the Royal Canadian Navy, now stationed at Esquimalt, is a son.

LIBERALS, CAMERONS WIN SOCCER GAMES

Young Liberals and Camerons, leading teams in the Intermediate Football League, came through with wins in the decisive style yesterday afternoon. The Liberals blanked a weakened Navy eleven, 7-0, while Camerons scored over the Cooperage in a cup-tie match, 3-0.

Politano, playing left wing, tallied four times for the Liberals, while Cosier, Tuthill, McColl and Carlow got the others. The score at half-time was 4-0 for the winners.

A goal by Travis in the first half and two more by McLellan in the final period gave Camerons their margin of victory over the Cooperage.

AMATEUR NIGHT

Ward Two Liberal Association will hold an amateur night on Tuesday, at 8 p.m., at Liberal headquarters. All are invited to attend. Refreshments will be served.

How to Overcome Piles and Rectal Soreness

If you are annoyed with itching piles or rectal soreness do not neglect the same or run the risk of an operation. Any itching, soreness or painful passage of stool is nature's warning and proper treatment should be secured at once. For this purpose get from MacFarlane and Vancouver Drug Stores, or any druggist, a package of Hemroid and use as directed. This formula, which is used internally, quickly relieves the itching and soreness and aids in healing the sore, tender spots. Hemroid is a physician's prescription and is highly recommended. It is easy to use and it seems the height of folly for anyone to undergo an operation when a simple remedy such as this is so pleasant to use may be had at such a reasonable cost.—Advt.

City and District

Purse Stolen—Mrs. A. W. Smith, 1422 Harrison Street, reported to police that a purse containing $4 and a key had been stolen from the kitchen table at her dwelling.

Vagrancy Charge—Charged on a remand in the city police court with vagrancy, James McLean was given a further remand yesterday until Tuesday morning.

Seeks Position—In a letter to the City Council, Barrett Webb, 1121 Burdett Avenue, has applied for the position of official and publicity photographer for the city.

Lights Broken — Police were informed by the city street lighting department that a number of lights had been broken by air rifle pellets in the vicinity of Acton Street and Cedar Hill Road.

Drain Extension—An application from G. W. Hay, 2639 Wark Street, for an extension of the existing surface drain will be dealt with at the next meeting of the City Council public works committee.

Want to Help — The I.O.D.E., Junior Branch, has written to the City Council asking if a representative of the organization could serve on a council committee to deal with the Royal visit.

Four Fined—Four motorists who pleaded guilty to charges of failing to slow down to a speed of fifteen miles per hour while passing school zones were each fined $10 in the city police court yesterday.

Seek Information — Information on the parks committee and its operations was sought by the city of Courtenay in a letter to the City Council. The Up-Island city recently appointed a board of parks commissioners.

Road Tax Penalties—For failing to have their current road tax licenses, four persons were ordered to pay the $2 penalty and costs of $1.50 each, in the Oak Bay police court, Friday afternoon, by Magistrate Henry C. Hall.

For Speeding—Charged with exceeding the speed limit of thirty miles per hour, a motorist pleaded guilty yesterday in the city police court and was fined $10. Three others were each fined $2.50 for parking over the hour limit.

Lumber Stolen—The R. A. Green Lumber Company, at 2860 Maple Street, reported to police yesterday that the plant had been entered through a shed. Detectives Henry Jarvis and P. W. Richards found 400 feet of lumber missing.

Receives Book — Mayor Andrew McGavin has received a copy of "The Face of Glasgow," by William Power, from the council of the famous Scottish city. The volume describes interesting parts of Glasgow and is illustrated with reproductions of water color paintings.

Radio Manager—H. J. Quilliam, manager of radio station KIRO in Seattle, the "Friendly Station," affiliated with the Columbia Broadcasting System, was a visitor to Victoria on Friday. He was accompanied by J. Hatfield, a technician at the station.

Collections Gain — Collection of current taxes at the City Hall yesterday reached a total of $320,825, an increase of $10,065 over the amount on hand at the corresponding date last year. On account of taxes in arrears, the sum of $8,612.95 was noted.

Building Permits—Thirteen building permits for construction valued at $8,102 were issued by the city building inspector's department during the past week. The permits included a $2,300 meeting hall, a $2,700 dwelling and alterations to a dwelling to cost $1,600.

Makes Offer—A tentative offer to purchase property at the southeast corner of Johnson and Vancouver Streets was made by W. J. Gilliland & Company, in a letter to the City Council. The company stated that the purchase would be conditional upon permission being given to erect a building on the property.

Juveniles Caught—Four juveniles, ranging from eight to eleven years of age, were apprehended yesterday afternoon in a Douglas Street shop by Constable Maurice Wilkinson, juvenile officer, on a complaint from the manager. A number of stolen articles were found in possession of the children.

No Signal—When he pleaded guilty, in the city police court, to a charge of failing to give a proper hand signal before turning his car, a motorist yesterday was fined $5 by Magistrate Henry C. Hall. Another motorist was fined $2.50 for failing to have his machine equipped with a rear red reflector.

Credit Granters—George E. MacDonald, chairman of the Retail Merchants' Section of the Chamber of Commerce, will be the speaker at the luncheon of the Victoria Credit Granters' Association in Spencer's dining-room next Tuesday. His subject will be "The Ten Hidden Losses in Business."

Canadian Pensioners — Samuel Saunders was re-elected president of the Canadian Pensioners' Association for his fourth consecutive term at the annual meeting held on Friday night. Cooper Scott was chosen first vice-president, and J. H. Miller, second vice-president. R. C. Keane was re-elected secretary-treasurer. The executive committee comprises E. Windows, R. Katar, W. J. Jamieson, R. C. Cole and E. Mitchell. The association reported a successful year, with finances in a satisfactory condition.

Is Remanded—Charged on a remand with attempting to break, enter and commit an indictable offence in the store of Jeffree & Jeffree, Ltd., Melvin Achenbach appeared in the city police court yesterday and was remanded until Monday in order to fix a date for trial. The accused stated he had been unable to secure counsel.

Survey Is Ordered — Pressed by complaints that Stamp Falls timber will be threatened in pending logging operations, the British Columbia Lands Department ordered a survey of the whole area yesterday, to ascertain what are the facts. In the absence of all Cabinet ministers from the city, however, no formal statement was made.

To Resume Work — Contract for reconstruction of a further section of the Island Highway near the Malahat will be awarded shortly by the British Columbia Department of Public Works, it was said yesterday at the Legislative Buildings. Improvements near the Summit and at Cousin's Hill are contemplated, and may be started within a week, it was intimated.

Expert Arrives—R. W. Beck, public utilities adviser to the City Council, arrived from Seattle yesterday afternoon. He will confer with the council on street car extension, electrolysis, light and power matters, and the Goldstream sub-station agreement. His final report on public utilities may be presented at a franchise committee meeting to be called early next week by Mayor Andrew McGavin.

Approve Police Board—By order-in-council yesterday, the Province gave formal approval under the Municipal Act to Victoria's 1939 police board, consisting of Mayor Andrew McGavin and Aldermen Edward Williams and Archie Wills. B. C. Bracewell, newly-appointed assistant supervisor of municipalities, was created an acting inspector, during the absence of E. H. Bridgman and R. S. Gilchrist, inspector and deputy inspector, respectively.

Fix Assize Dates—Victoria Assizes will begin on March 13 and October 10 this year, the Province determined yesterday. Other dates included: Vancouver, March 6 and September 11; Nanaimo, April 11 and October 23; Prince Rupert, May 10 and September 27; Prince George, May 15 and October 4; New Westminster, May 8 and November 13; Vernon, June 5 and November 13; Kamloops, May 29 and November 6; Fernie, May 15 and October 12; Cranbrook, May 11 and October 16; Nelson, May 8 and October 10; and Quesnel, May 18 and October 10. The schedule was fixed by order-in-council.

RECORD NOTED IN PRODUCTION

Victoria Office Leads All Canada And United States in Percentage Increase

The Victoria branch of the North American Life Assurance Company has established a new record for production for the year 1938, according to advice received here from the company's head office in Toronto.

Head office reports that the Victoria branch led all other agencies in Canada and the United States in its percentage increase of new business for the year just closed, having paid for more than $1,000,000 in Victoria city, and, in addition, received a considerable volume from Up-Island centres.

Alan C. Butchart made a notable achievement by paying for the largest amount of new business written by any representative in Canada in the year 1938.

The Victoria office is under the personal direction of James W. Hudson, who has been successfully engaged in the business in Victoria since 1911.

Mr. Hudson holds the distinction of having qualified for "Nalaco," the big production club of the North American Life, more consistently and for more consecutive years than any other representative since the inception of the company.

PELTIER DISCOVERS ONE MORE COMET

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 21 (AP).—A new comet has been discovered by Leslie Peltier, amateur Delphis, O., stargazer, who detected Peltier's comet in 1936, the Franklin Institute announced today. The new comet is a bright nucleus surrounded by a fuzzy patch of light. It is not visible without a telescope.

LADYSMITH LOGGER HURT

LADYSMITH, Jan. 21.—William Hill, head loader here for Comox Logging Company, was gravely injured today when struck by a log and thrown against another. He was taken to Ladysmith General Hospital, where his condition was reported serious.

IF YOU FEEL SUNK
Read this and cheer up
Are you so blue that life is no longer worth living? Do you cry easily? Do you feel low, weak, depressed—just absolutely SUNK?
Then here's good news for you in case you need a good general system tonic—Just take famous Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Let its wholesome herbs and roots help Nature build up more physical resistance and tone up your system, so that it can more easily throw off the "blues" and give more energy to enjoy life.
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Victoria Deserves Buses

VICTORIA deserves buses, but according to negotiations being carried on between the city solicitors and the Street Railway Company solicitors, it will be from three to five years before they will have a chance to get buses if they can find a law to protect the street car from competition for that period of time.

Mr. Shaw, the city solicitor, has definitely stated that it would be illegal to give them a franchise unless it was ratified by the ratepayers of Victoria City. Therefore, another plebiscite will have to be held on this transportation question. Before any company can get a franchise, a three-fifths majority will have to be recorded in their favor. Before the expense of another plebiscite is held, tenders should be called for a bus operation. The companies submitting the best proposition and meeting with the approval of the City Council should be given consideration, and their proposition should be voted on at the same time that the vote is taken for the continuance of street cars. Both the bus and the street car proposition should be plainly told to the people in a way which they can thoroughly understand it, then when they go to the polls they will have a chance to mark their ballot in an intelligent, understanding way.

Thirty days should be time enough for tenders to be received for a bus operation, and sixty days after that time should be ample in which to get the system into operation.

Oak Bay has now got a very efficient bus service and Saanich also has a bus service which bus company operating there have approximately ten more years to run under the present franchise. This franchise was granted to them by the Provincial Government, and the Saanich Municipality, under the present laws, cannot interfere with it in any way. Esquimalt is the only outside municipality without a bus service and, in the event of the street car discontinuing, the Blue Line Transit Company would be perfectly willing to give Esquimalt a service.

In Victoria at the present time, Fairfield, Gonzales, Cedar Hill, Quadra Street and Gorge Road districts have not got a satisfactory service. People living in these districts have to walk, in some cases, a mile to a street car service. Victoria City has let the outside municipalities steal a march on them as they have had a modern bus service, some of them for fifteen years with the result that they are building up tremendously and devoting their own lots and property into assets, thereby being able to reduce their taxes below those taxes of Victoria City and encouraging people to build homes in these municipalities.

There is no reason why a large majority of the homes which are being built in outside municipalities would not be built in Victoria if they had a satisfactory transportation system. Victoria City has many advantages to offer in the way of lower water and telephone rates, etc.

Recently, Victoria City has spent considerable money advertising the advantages of living in Victoria. What better advertising would they have than a modern up-to-date bus transportation system which would not cost them a cent. Why keep Victoria at a standstill for the next three to five years when Victoria can have this up-to-date bus system within sixty days.

Ten years previous to the Blue Line operating buses in the Municipality of Oak Bay, building permits amounted to $240,000. The last nine years the Blue Line has been operating in Oak Bay, the permits have amounted close to $2,000,000. This alone is proof of what satisfactory transportation will do for a district.

The grain elevator, cold storage and woolen mill plant cost the Victoria citizens considerable money. None of them today are of benefit to Victoria City. The Blue Line Transit Company have previously stated that their bus construction plant in Victoria City would mean an industry which would spend $2,000,000 in Victoria City in replacing all buses in future. This industry, set up and got into operation, would be a tremendous benefit to everyone concerned. It would take hundreds of men off the relief roll, and yet it would not cost the ratepayers of Victoria one penny. Why discourage a proposition of this kind?

The Blue Line Transit Company or any other bus company should be given as much consideration on this transportation matter as the B.C. Electric, as the street railway franchise came to an end on December 5 last, and they should not be entitled to any more favors than any other competitive company.

This advertisement is inserted and paid for by the Blue Line Transit Company in the interests of the citizens of Victoria and all concerned.

NANAIMO ATHLETE IS LAID TO REST

NANAIMO, Jan. 21 (CP).—A cortege of slow-marching athletes, including football representatives from nearby Duncan, Ladysmith and Cumberland, filed through the main streets today on their way to Ladysmith Cemetery to pay final respects to Andrew "Park" Mercer, prominent Nanaimo sports executive, who died Wednesday.

Mercer was a resident of this city for twenty-three years and was well known in football, baseball and basketball circles, not as a player, but as an executive.

At his death he held the position of secretary to the school supervisor here.

PERSONAL ITEMS and SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

Public Installation Held Here by Amaranth Order

The public installation of officers of Mizpah Court No. 2, Order of the Amaranth, held last night at the Crystal Garden, drew a large crowd of interested friends of the members and many out-of-town visitors and officers of the Amaranth from the United States.

Amid the lovely surroundings of palm trees and flowers, the opening ceremonies of the court were conducted with dignity, and part of the work of the order exemplified. Mr. John F. Rau, Seattle, was installing patron; Mrs. Georgina Hill, Centralia, Wash., supreme conductress of the Supreme Council of the State of Washington, marshal, and Mr. Jesse Russell, Seattle, deputy supreme royal patron of British Columbia, aide.

The uncrowning of Mrs. M. Hills as royal matron of Mizpah Court was conducted by Mrs. M. Hall, deputy supreme royal matron for Alberta, following which the crowning of Mrs. K. A. Woodley as royal matron was carried out by Mrs. Garnet Saylor, deputy supreme royal matron of British Columbia.

Mr. Neelands then presented Mrs. M. Hill with her past matron's jewel. Mr. A. Todd Mathews, Seattle, chief grand commissioner of appeals for the State of Washington, took part in the ceremonies as sword bearer, and Mrs. Beatrice Nelson, Seattle, was soloist.

Officers of Mizpah Court installed were Mrs. K. A. Woodley, royal matron; Mr. Albert Colby, royal patron; Mrs. G. Peters, associate matron; Mr. Louis Neelands, associate patron; Mrs. Ruby Bird, secretary; Mrs. M. Holman, treasurer; Mrs. Helen Wise, prelate; Mrs. Helen Richdale, historian; Mrs. Evelyn Holt, musician; Miss H. Neelands, standard-bearer; Mrs. N. Weismiller, associate conductress; Mrs. Edna Montgomery, marshal in the east; Miss Doris Hooper, marshal in the west; Mrs. Edith Neelands, standard bearer; Mrs. N. R. Hill, trustee; Mrs. F. Hourston, truth; Mrs. G. Neelands, faith; Mrs. A. Pauline, wisdom; Mrs. Lois Grimes, charity; Mrs. Shadbolt, warder, and Mrs. I. Dallaway, sentinel. All officers taking part in the proceedings received corsage bouquets.

Other out-of-town guests included Mrs. Rose Prelan, Seattle, past supreme royal matron; Mrs. Julia Markeson, Sydney, Australia, deputy supreme royal matron at large to Australia; Mrs. Fanny Jones, Mrs. Lous Levine, Mrs. Esther Molin, Mr Levy Nelson, Mrs. Cara Barck and Mrs. J. F. Rau, Seattle, grand officers, and Mrs. Ella Rossman, Seattle, past grand royal matron.

Tea was served yesterday afternoon at the Crystal Garden by members of the court in honor of the visitors.

Is Crowned Royal Matron

MRS. K. A. WOODLEY
Who at the Public Installation of the Officers of Mizpah Court No. 2, Order of the Amaranth, Held Last Evening at the Crystal Garden, Was Crowned Royal Matron of the Court.—Photo by Cherer.

Clubs-Societies

Canadian Daughters

Honoring the provincial president of the Canadian Daughters League, Mrs. Beatrice Pochin, Vancouver Assembly No. 5 held a banquet on Thursday evening in the K. of C. dining-room. Other guests were the provincial past president, Mrs A. C. Ross; provincial second vice-president, Mrs. R. H. McInnes; provincial educational convener, Mrs. F. W. Briers, and members of Far West Assembly No. 30. Mrs. R. Milburn, president of Assembly No. 5, presented the guest of honor with a beautiful bouquet of carnations on behalf of the members. The tables were decorated in the league colors of green, red and yellow, and tall lighted tapers. After the banquet, the assembly received the provincial president in the lodgeroom, where she paid her official visit. Mrs. R. Milburn presided and introduced the officers, who were escorted to seats of honor, and were presented with corsage bouquets. Mrs. Akerman was welcomed, and Mrs. F. Fleming, past president, introduced the provincial president and escorted her to the platform. The ritualistic floor work was exemplified. Mrs. C. Porteous gave a report on the educational work during the past term. Mrs. I. Fleming reported on the Local Council of Women. Communications from the past national president, Mrs. G. Gardiner; provincial sentinel, Mrs. D. Clarke, and Mrs. Rolston, expressing their regrets at not being able to attend the meeting, were read. Mrs. Pochin, in her address, urged the members to be well informed in current events, not only of Canadian interest, but of other countries. Mrs. Milburn proposed the vote of thanks to the speaker and presented her with a lovely vase of Vancouver Island pottery, a gift from the assembly. Mrs. A. C. Ross spoke briefly, also the provincial educational convener and the provincial second vice-president. The next executive meeting will be held on Tuesday at 2 p.m. at the home of Mrs. McKilligan, Scott Apartments.

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First Baptist Union

The Women's Union of the First Baptist Church held its regular meeting on Thursday. The president, Mrs. George Bishop, was in the chair. This being the first meeting of the year, annual reports were presented by the officers, Mrs. Holm, secretary, and Mrs. Ridout, treasurer, followed by the conveners of the groups, Mrs. Kyle, Mrs. Galbraith and Mrs. Taylor for Mrs. A. Middleton, who told of progress and much work accomplished. A summary of other interests was reported by Miss Meadows, White Cross; Mrs. Richardson, visiting; Miss Campbell, reading course; Mrs. Pearse, social. The correspondence was read by Mrs. Richardson. The president expressed her appreciation and tendered her thanks for the splendid co-operation in carrying on the work, and announced that Mrs. Nellie McClung would give an address on "The Voice of Canada" in the schoolroom of the church on January 31 at 3 p.m. Rev. G. A. Reynolds conducted the devotional period. Mrs. Slater was called upon by Mr. Reynolds to carry out the installation of the officers, as follows: President, Mrs. George Bishop; past president, Mrs. A. E. Taylor; first vice-president, Mrs. W. Richardson; secretary, Mrs. P. W. Holm; corresponding secretary, Mrs. G. H. Bent; treasurer, Mrs. A. C. Ridout; assistant secretary-treasurer, Mrs. L. Ebert. At the next meeting the study book "Moving Millions" will be reviewed in part.

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Rebekah Lodge

Colfax Rebekah Lodge No. 1 recently held the first meeting of the term, with Mrs. Marie Paver presiding. The officers read the term reports, showing a net gain in membership for 1938, the sum of $287.22 having been spent on welfare work. The treasurer's report showed assets of $1,809.34. Application for membership was read. The degree is to be conferred on February 28. Plans were discussed for the annual St. Valentine's dance and card party to be held on February 14. The next regular meeting will take place on Tuesday, January 24, at 8 p.m., when a social game of progressive "500" will be held. Visiting members are cordially invited, and members' friends will be welcomed for the card game at 9 p.m.

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Britannia W.A.

The W.A. to Britannia Branch, No. 7, Canadian Legion, will hold its social evening on Tuesday at 8 o'clock in the clubrooms. Progressive five hundred will be played, and refreshments served. The special general meeting of the combined auxiliaries, Britannia, Pro Patria and T.V.A., will be held in the board room of Britannia Branch on Wednesday at 8 p.m. Mrs. A. Booth, Port Alberni, provincial past president, will be in the chair. The business will include discussion of non-pensioned widows of war veterans. Members are asked to attend the service for fraternal societies to be held in St. John's Church this afternoon at 3 o'clock, when Rev. G. R. V. Bolster, padre of Britannia Branch, will give the address.

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Gleaners' Circle

The first meeting of the new year for the Gleaners' Mission Circle was held recently at the home of Marjorie Morris. Jean Munro led the devotional period, assisted by Jean Wilson. Mrs. MacLennan, honorary president, gave a message on "Missions." A candle lighting installation was led by Mrs. Muncy. The old officers passed on the torch of success to the new members, who included: Jean Wilson, president; Jean Phillips, vice-president; Cora Wharton, secretary; Marjorie Timberlake, press secretary; Marjorie Morris, treasurer; Beryl Flemming, supplies; Rita Millhouse, community friendship; Violet Hall, temperance. Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held at the home of Gay Stuart.

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Riders Enjoy Chase

The Victoria Riding Club's weekly paperchase are proving to be more popular than ever, and yesterday, the largest turnout since the season started last Fall, enjoyed a long hunt with most favorable weather. Commander Slingsby, as the lone hare, set an interesting trail and gave the hounds plenty of trouble with his false trails. After returning to the clubroom, the riders were given an excellent tea, which on this occasion, was provided by one of the gentlemen members, who now vies with any of the ladies for first-place honors in catering. All members who intend participating in the next hunt are asked to be on hand and ready at 2:30 o'clock, Saturday, January 28.

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Oak Bay W.M.S.

The regular meeting of the W.M.S. of Oak Bay Church was held on Thursday afternoon, the president, Mrs. Gerry, in the chair, and an unusually large number of members present. Rev. F. R. G. Dredge took charge of the devotional exercises and urged the members at all times to do whatever they might be called upon to do for the furtherance of the missionary cause. He also conducted the service for the installation of officers for the current year. The treasurer reported the society had exceeded its allocation by a small amount. Satisfactory reports were read by the various secretaries.

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St. Mark's W.A.

St. Mark's W.A. will hold an open social meeting on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the parish hall, when members of the congregation will be welcome. The educational secretary will give a reading from the study book and Mrs. Duncan, president of the Diocesan board, will be guest speaker. Tea will be served. An old-time social and dance is arranged for Friday evening and a special programme is being prepared under the convenership of Mrs. Middleton.

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Cathedral Evening Branch

Under the auspices of the Senior Evening Branch of the Women's Auxiliary to Christ Church Cathedral, a special meeting will be held in Rooms 4 and 5 of the Memorial Hall on Thursday evening at 7:45 o'clock, in an effort to interest all non-members and friends in the work of that branch. A welcome is extended to all persons interested. Mrs. Duncan will speak and a social hour will be held at the conclusion of the meeting.

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Metchosin Party

Mrs. A. Ford and Mr. C. Ridley won prizes for the highest scores at Metchosin recently. Other prize winners were: Mrs. C. Ridley and Mr. G. Musselwhite; Miss E. Bromley and Mr. J. Kennedy. Seven tables were in progress during the evening, and refreshments were served by Mrs. H. Walker and Miss A. McKeown.

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Ucluelet Club

The Ladies' Community Club of Ucluelet held its annual party recently, at which all members of the settlement were its guests. The evening opened with bridge, after which a short programme of songs and recitations was given. Refreshments were served and dancing concluded the evening. Prizes were given for various dances.

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St. Alban's Society

The Ladies' Society of St. Alban's Church will meet on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

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Conservative Club

The Women's Conservative Association will hold a whist drive on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in its clubrooms, Campbell Building, under the convenership of Mrs. J. T. Witty and Mrs. C. H. Smith. Prizes will be given and refreshments served. All friends are cordially invited to attend.

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Pro Patria W.A.

There will be a joint general meeting of all women's auxiliaries at Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion, clubrooms on Wednesday at 8 p.m. to discuss pensions for returned men's widows. The speaker will be Mrs. A. Booth, past president of the women's provincial command.

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St. Paul's W.A.

The regular fortnightly meeting of St. Paul's Naval and Garrison Church W.A. will be held on Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. There will be a service in the church first, conducted by Rev. Arthur Bischlager, and St. Saviour's W.A., Victoria West, are cordially invited to attend.

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W.B.A. Social

The Woman's Benefit Association will hold a social after the short business meeting in the K. of C. Hall at 8 p.m. tomorrow. Market baskets will be in charge of the committee.

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Lake Hill Bowlers

A bridge tea will be held in the S.O.E. Hall on Tuesday at 2:15 p.m. in aid of the Lake Hill Ladies' Lawn Bowling Club. Refreshments will be served and prizes awarded. Bowlers and friends are cordially invited.

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Friendship Guild

The Women's Guild of Friendship will hold a silver tea on Wednesday from 3 to 6 p.m. at 1210 Fort Street. There will be a short programme. All are welcome to come and hear about the guild.

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Mothers' Union

A general meeting of the Diocesan Mothers' Union will be held at the Memorial Hall on Wednesday at 2:30 p.m., when the speaker will be Rev. S. J. Wickens.

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Daughters of England

Princess Margaret Rose Lodge No. 40, Juvenile Daughters of England, will meet on Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. The installation of officers will take place.

Auxiliary Ambitious In Its Aims

An inspiring young group is the Victoria Musical Arts Society Auxiliary, who at their January meeting Friday night, held at the home of Mrs. W. C. Nichol, 1759 Rockland Avenue, gave a programme that intimated generously the versatile talent, serious studentship and musical aspiration contained within its membership. There were present, in addition to members, several members and friends from associated groups within the parent society. Under the convenership of Mrs. Gordon Cameron, and with the president, William Inglis, in the chair, a programme of generally high standard of performance was given, being as follows:

Piano solo, first movement from Schumann's "Vienna Carnival Scenes," by Lois Hamblett; ensemble by Mozart Trio, "L'Anera," from "The Shepherd King," with Jean Routley (soprano), John Pepper (violin), and Audrey Mills (piano); 'cello solo, "Orientale" (Cezar Cui), Kay Fallows; soprano solos, Patsy Swift, "Allelujah" (Mozart) and "Morning" (Oley Speaks); piano solo, Phyllis Maddock, "Liebestraum" (Lizst); violin solo by John Pepper, movement from Bach's First Concerto in A Minor; vocal solos by Honor Benson, accompanied by Gloria Wilson, "Serenade" and "The Blacksmith" (Brahms). In responding to an encore, Miss Benson gave a charming song composed by her accompanist, Miss Wilson, "Within My Heart," which was warmly applauded.

SHORT ADDRESSES

Featured in the programme were two or three short talks. Donald Nelson told something about the compositions of Debussy, the alleged formlessness and other unacademic qualities of whose music made him unpopular with his critics in his earlier years. The speaker briefly reviewed Debussy's great contribution to pianoforte literature; mentioned also some of his songs, pieces for the orchestra, and his one and only opera, "Pelleas and Melisande"; and referred to the strong influence Moussorgsky at one time exercised on his work.

Radio's part in developing music was ably rehearsed by Mira Oliphant, who attributed the increased understanding and enjoyment of good music during the past ten years to radio. Among the special influences mentioned were the broadcast performances of the New York Philharmonic and Toronto promenade concerts; also the Dr. Walter Damrosch music appreciation programmes.

Following the programme, refreshments were served. The hostess, in responding graciously to the eloquent thanks of the president, expressed her great enjoyment of a programme which had revealed so much talent.

Women's Service Club

The first drill meeting of the Women's Service Club has been changed from Tuesday evening, January 24, to Wednesday evening, January 25, in the Imperial Veterans' clubrooms, Courtney Street (opposite the Windermere Hotel), at 7:30 o'clock. Attendance is expected of all those who signed on last week. Further applicants may apply in writing to the adjutant, Miss A. K. Hooper, 2631 Douglas Street, for application forms, etc.

New Device Will Depict V.O.N. Work

At the annual meeting of the Victorian Order of Nurses, which will take place at the Y.W.C.A., on Monday, January 30, at 3 p.m., those present will have an opportunity, through what is known as "The Davis Bulletin," to learn something about what the order is doing from one end of the Dominion to the other.

This "Bulletin," which is issued from the V.O.N. headquarters, Ottawa, is a comparatively new mechanical method of depicting, in picture, the various types of work in which the organization is engaged. It will be run off while the balloting is taking place, and will take the place of the customary speaker.

The meeting will be open to the public, and anyone interested in the work is cordially invited.

Women's Institutes

WEAVERS' GUILD

The Women's Institute Weavers' Guild will meet tomorrow at 8 p.m. in room 410, Union Building. The guest speaker will be Mr. Hastie Cochrane. Members are asked to bring their entries for the scarf competition.

LUXTON, HAPPY VALLEY

A well-attended pruning demonstration was given in the orchard of S. Stuart Hutchison, on Wednesday afternoon, by E. W. White, district horticulturist, under the auspices of the Luxton and Happy Valley Institute. Instruction in grafting was also given. Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Hutchison. Under the auspices of the institute, a 500 card party will be held at Luxton Hall next Saturday at 8 p.m.

LANGFORD

Mrs. J. L. White, Victoria, will explain the "Youth Training and Adult Education" scheme at the regular meeting of the Langford Institute to be held on Tuesday at 2:15 p.m. in the W.I. Hall on Dunford Road. Members are invited to bring their friends, and invitations have been sent to the Colwood and Happy Valley institutes. Contract bridge was played at the card party held recently under the auspices of the W.I. Mrs. Dack and Mrs. Ritchie won the ladies' prizes; H. A. Hincks and W. Savory the gentlemen's prizes. Mrs. H. A. Hincks, social convener for a number of years, was presented by Mr. Savory with a beautiful bouquet of red carnations and pussy willow. Mrs. George Eldridge gave the prizes for the party.

SHIRLEY

Mrs. W. J. Shannon was elected president of the Shirley Institute at the annual meeting held on Thursday afternoon. Other officers include: Mrs. M. A. Clark, vice-president; Mrs. Fry, secretary-treasurer, and Mrs. H. T. Anderson and Mrs. W. J. Milligan, auditors. Four honorary membership certificates were awarded to members who had given outstanding service to the institute in the past—Mrs. H. J. Kirby, Mrs. W. H. Anderson, Mrs. E. H. Cross and Mrs. J. Sullivan. Reports of the year's work, and the financial report, were considered satisfactory. The institute sponsored a pruning demonstration recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Cross. Mrs. E. White, of the Department of Agriculture, conducted the demonstration, which was well attended.

Birthday Greetings For One-Year-Old

ANOTHER January birthday baby is Robert William Logie, who was a year old on the fifth of this month. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Logie, 208 Wildwood Avenue, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. William Logie, of this city, and of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Lockie, of Vancouver.

I.O.D.E. Activities

Municipal Chapter

The Municipal Chapter meeting will be held on Thursday afternoon in headquarters at 2 o'clock. A special meeting of primary educational secretaries will be held preceding the Municipal Chapter session at 1:45.

LECTURE ENJOYED

St. Saviour's Parish Hall was well filled on Friday evening when a humorous lecture was given by Dean Elliott. Songs were contributed by Mrs. Sherratt and Mr. Arthur Jackman, which were much appreciated. Geoffrey Venables played two violin numbers. Miss Jessie Smith accompanied all numbers.

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

Miss R. Sorenson Bride Of Mr. A. W. Wilkinson

The marriage of Randi Christine, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Sorenson, 1621 Hollywood Crescent, and Mr. Arnold William Wilkinson, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Wilkinson, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Wilkinson, 1342 Liverpool Street, Esquimalt, was solemnized at 8:30 o'clock last evening in St. Paul's Naval and Garrison Church, Rev. Arthur Bischlager officiating. The church organist was in attendance.

During the service, the bride and groom stood between tall baskets filled with yellow and white chrysanthemums and bows of white ribbon marked the pews, to which the guests were escorted by the bridegroom's brother, Mr. George Wilkinson, and Mr. James Stewart.

LOVELY BRIDE

The lovely bride, who was given away by her father, wore a full, floor-length gown of ivory satin, and a high-necked bolero with long pointed sleeves. She wore her veil over her face, and this was caught at the top of her head with a cluster of orange blossoms and formed a train. The shower bouquet was composed of Ophelia roses, white carnations and freesias.

Miss Betty Cosh, the bridesmaid, wore a pretty frock of pale green sheer over taffeta, with a very full skirt, and a short-sleeved bolero. She also wore long white kid gloves, a green bandeau trimmed with silver leaves on her head, and carried an arm bouquet of Talisman roses and daffodils.

Mr. Herbert Thompson was best man.

RECEPTION FOLLOWS

Mr. and Mrs. Sorenson entertained about seventy-five guests later at the Oakbay Beach Hotel, and received them in the main dining-room, where the decorations were carried out most effectively in silver and gold. Mrs. Sorenson was becomingly gowned in American Beauty silk crepe, and wore a chiffon jacket in a deeper shade, and a hat of black French velour and black accessories, her corsage bouquet being of white carnations and freesias. The bridegroom's mother had chosen a black chiffon gown with matching accessories and a corsage bouquet of red roses.

Dancing was enjoyed to music supplied by a three-piece orchestra, and a buffet supper was served in the private dining-room at a table centred with the bride's cake and lighted with tall yellow candles in silver holders.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilkinson left at midnight for Vancouver, and will spend their honeymoon there and motoring in the United States before returning to Victoria to live. The bride went away in a smart brown outfit, wearing a muskrat coat over a frock of sheer wool crepe. Among the wedding gifts was a case of flat silver from the groom's associates at Work Point Barracks.

Witty Kitty

By NINA WILCOX PUTNAM

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An optimist is he who thinks his shoulders are broad enough to support any headaches collected at a gay party.

Ninety-Third Birthday Is Celebrated

A hale and hearty Victorian, Mrs. Margaret Cessford, celebrated her ninety-third birthday on Friday and made a special batch of ninety doughnuts for the occasion, which the visitors enjoyed at the tea party later in the day. Mrs. Cessford, who has lived in Victoria for sixty-four years, received a host of callers at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dodds, Mary Street, Victoria West.

Birthday cards, letters, telegrams and lovely flowers arrived for the cheerful little white-haired lady, whose bright laugh and shining eyes bespeak a personality that is lovable and an outlook on life which is refreshing to all who know her.

She was born on January 20, 1846, in Harvey, New Brunswick, and was Margaret Nesbit before her marriage. With her husband and five children, she crossed the continent to San Francisco and came to Victoria aboard the Ss. Pacific in June, 1875. Her five children are George Cessford, Edward Street; Mrs. Dodds, with whom she has lived since her husband's death; Mrs. M. Gleason, Seattle; T. C. Cessford, of Washington State, and Jim Cessford, in Alaska. She has grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren.

Among the callers on her birthday were Alderman W. H. Davies, who brought greetings from the mayor and City Council, together with a box of Spring flowers from the mayor; Rev. James Hyde and Mrs. Hyde, and many relatives and friends.

She was assisted during the afternoon and evening in serving tea by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Cessford, and Mrs. R. Campbell.

DOMINION

Mrs. E. Moore, Vancouver; Mr and Mrs. T. Wellburn and family, Port Tahsis; J. Scothorn, Vancouver; B. Murphy, J. McGarey, Seattle.

MISS DOROTHY FLETCHER — MR. ROBERT POYNTZ

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Fletcher, 1270 May Street, Victoria, Announce the Engagement of Their Elder Daughter, Dorothy May, to Mr. Robert L. K. Poyntz, eldest son of Dr. and Mrs. L. K. Poyntz. The Wedding Will Take Place at Christ Church Cathedral on March 4.—Photos by Kenneth McAllister.

Social and Personal

Birthday Party

Mrs. Walter Brynjolfson entertained at a jolly party yesterday afternoon at her home on Beach Drive in honor of her daughter, Loris, who was celebrating her twelfth birthday. The living-room, where the girls played amusing games, was prettily decorated with pussy willow and pink carnations. In the dining-room a color scheme of yellow, blue and pink was carried out with paper streamers. The children sat down to tea at a table attractive with a centrepiece of pink carnations, where the pink and white birthday cake with its twelve lighted pink candles held the place of honor and was later cut by the little hostess. Every place was marked with bright favors in the prevailing colors. Those present were Jean Carter, Barbara Shaw, Jean Oliver, Patricia Gibbs, Joyce Wilkinson, Isla Brandon, Shirley Gunn, Phyllis Hearle, Anne Reynolds, Shirley Brodie, Doreen Jasper, Patricia Strachan and Doreen McDougall.

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P.E.O. Tea

In celebration of the seventieth anniversary of the founding of the P.E.O. Sisterhood, the members of the local chapters arranged a tea and meeting in the Duke of Kent and Princess Charlotte private dining suite at the Empress Hotel yesterday afternoon. The tea table spread with a filet lace cloth, was centred with a bowl of daffodils, and Mrs. P. B. Scurrah and Mrs. H. O. English poured tea and coffee. The fireplace was banked with ferns and potted plants, and bowls of Spring flowers added a bright touch o' color to the setting. After tea, an attractive programme was presented, in which various phases of the growth of the Sisterhood were described and illustrated by members in costume. Each of the local chapters took part in the pageant. Fifty-four members attended the celebration.

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Miscellaneous Shower

Miss E. Wilkinson, Mrs. C. Gay and Miss B. Wilson were hostesses at a miscellaneous shower recently in honor of Miss Ida Gay, a bride-to-be of this month, at the home of Mrs. M. Wilkinson, 1843 Foul Bay Road. Games and music were enjoyed, and prizes were won by Miss P. Harvey, Miss P. Crocknell, Miss G. Harvey and Miss I. Gay. The invited guests were Mesdames S. Martin, Rowles, Hayward, J. Bragg, P. Harvey, A. Frewing, Tyler, J. Drybrough (New Westminster), M. Wilkinson, A. Gay, L. Partington, C. Gay, W. Stranix, and Misses E. Stranix, H. Ellis, P. Harvey, J. Ellis, R. Harvey, M. Wilson, M. Packford, W. Barnard, P. Crocknell, M. Rankin, G. Harvey, M. Mendum, G. Law, H. Martin, D. Martin, J. Drybrough (New Westminster), B. Wilson, R. Pearce, I. Wakelin, N. Creed and E. Wilkinson.

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Charades at Empress Hotel

When next Saturday the Empress Hotel celebrates its thirty-first birthday, guests during the tea hour will play "Charades," but not quite in the manner of thirty-one years ago. These will be charades very much up to date. Mr. Brian Burdon-Murphy, president of the Beaux-Arts Society, and the members of that organization are arranging the charades. Mr. William F. Tickle will act as master of ceremonies, and the guests will do the guessing. Already rumors of this unique innovation in tea-time entertainment have speeded up reservations.

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Supper Dance at Hotel

The crystal ballroom of the Empress Hotel was the rendezvous for a large gathering of "supper dancers" last night, several large parties being arranged, among them being a group of Royal Canadian Navy officers who were entertaining their friends before the ships leave the Esquimalt station on Tuesday for a cruise. Lieutenant F. D. Grubb arranged a party of twenty; Mr. Gordon Verley, four; Mr. A. J. Baker, six; Mrs. Colin H. Rutherford, twelve; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hartley, twelve; Mr. R. F. Driscoll, ten, and Mrs. Wolverton had a party of four. The dance music featured by the orchestra included "Where Has My Little Dog Gone?" "Meeting in the Nursery," "The Umbrella Man," and "The Funny Old Hills."

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Farewell Party

A farewell party was given on Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Rutledge, 1251 Rudlin Street, in honor of their son, Cecil, who is leaving for a position at Campbell River. Games and dancing were enjoyed and supper was served at a prettily arranged table after which the guest of honor made a short speech. Those present were Misses Hilda Chalk, Margaret Atkinson, Ruby McLuhan, Doris McNeill, Sylvia Hutchinson, Myrtle Tupman, and Messrs. E. Brown, George Christenson, Maurice Gwynne, Fred Bursey, Bill Butler and Clifford Carter.

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At Empress Hotel

Among the visitors to Victoria who registered at the Empress Hotel yesterday were: Mrs. John T. Menzies, Baltimore; Mrs. Stanley Pledger, Lutherville, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Cameron, Mrs. A. K. Doe, R. W. Beck, F. R. Ward, F. C. Broadfoot, Seattle; A. C. Guthrie, William R. Ashton, Vancouver; L. F. Chapman, Spokane; A. J. Overhage, Hamilton; C. P. Edwards, Ottawa; L. F. Mayhood, Calgary; B. A. Latta, Edmonton; F. H. Martin, Montreal; C. A. Cunningham, Winnipeg; R. Victor Langford, South Pasadena, and W. P. McKee, Toronto.

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Tea Hostess

Mrs. Ingledew, Gordon Head, entertained at her home yesterday at a delightful tea in honor of her daughter, Elsie, the occasion being her fourteenth birthday. Games and contests were enjoyed. The invited guests were Mary, Renie and Theo Welchman, Frances and Margaret Lifton, Pat Salmon, Olwen Griffiths, Isobel Partridge, Winnie Notley, Eunice Vye, Florence and Irene Edwards, Eileen Levis, Barbara Wilson, Lillian Roberts, Alice Burfield, Muriel Rendle, Joyce Bell, Jean Maynard, Margaret Don, Joyce Maxwell, Betty Dawson and Kate Porter.

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Luncheon Party

Mrs. W. Wiltshire will entertain at a luncheon party this afternoon at her home, 2449 Clark Street, in honor of her house guest, Mrs. Margaret Peters, Seattle, who came over for the public installation of Mizpah Court No. 2, Order of the Amaranth, held last evening. The other guests included Mrs. Rose Peran Gig Harbor, past supreme royal matron, and Mrs. G. Hill, Centralia, Wash., supreme conductress of the supreme council of the State of Washington.

Organ Recital to Be Sponsored by Auxiliary Group

Edward Parsons will give a programme on the new Hammond electric organ for the next meeting of the Victoria Musical Arts' Auxiliary to be held at Fletcher Bros.' store on Friday, February 17, when a technician will be present to explain the mechanism of the instrument.

Announcement of this was made by William Inglis, the auxiliary president, at the Friday night meeting, when he also reminded members of the telephone bridge to be held during the week of March 24 to 31, concluding with a dance on the last night. Proceeds, if sufficient, will form the nucleus of a fund for a purpose to be designated later.

LANGFORD—COLWOOD

Mr. J. M. Parkinson, F.R.H.S., will address the meeting of the Langford-Colwood Branch to be held in the Legion Hall at Langford at 8 o'clock on Monday evening.

Engagement Is Announced

MISS FRANCES PATTON

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Patton announce the engagement of their only daughter, Myra Frances, to Mr. Jeffrey Baker, only son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Baker. The wedding will take place at St. John's Church on February 23 at 8:30 p.m.—Photo by Associated Screen News.

Weddings

BENNETT—GILSTRAP

COURTENAY, Jan. 21.—A wedding of interest throughout this district was quietly solemnized at St. George's United Church Manse, Courtenay, this evening, when Helen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Gilstrap, Comox, became the bride of Mr. Alfred Bennett, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bennett, Little River. Rev. Peter Henderson officiated.

For the ceremony the bride wore an ensemble of midnight blue wool with accessories to match. Mrs. Zaida Armstrong and Miss Lily Greig attended the bride.

Following a honeymoon being spent at Victoria, Mr. and Mrs. Bennett will make their home at Nob Hill, Comox.

BERKELEY—CROCKETT

COURTENAY, Jan. 21. — Two pioneer families of the Comox district were linked by the recent marriage at St. Andrew's Anglican Church, Sandwick, of Jeanette Katherine, fourth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Crockett, Grantham, and Mr. John William Berkeley, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Lance Berkeley, Courtenay. Rev. F. C. Chapman, vicar of Sandwick and Courtenay, officiated. The bride's only attendant was her sister, Dorothy. Mr. Donald Hass, Courtenay, supported the groom.

Given in marriage by her father, the youthful bride was charmingly attired in a burgundy shade costume with wine accessories, and carried a shower bouquet of bronze chrysanthemums and asparagus fern. As bridesmaid her sister wore a rust bolero frock with British tan accessories, and carried a bouquet of yellow chrysanthemums.

During the signing of the register, Mr. Herbert Clayton sang "I Love You at Dawn," and "I Love You Truly," accompanied at the organ by Mrs. Bert Marriott. Mr. John Crockett, Jr., and Mr. Edward Berkeley were ushers.

Following the ceremony, about 300 relatives and friends gathered at Grantham Community Hall for the reception, where the young couple were assisted in receiving by Mrs. Crockett, mother of the bride, wearing navy blue striped georgette, and Mrs. Berkeley, mother of the groom, gowned in black lace. Both wore red carnations. The bride's table, beautifully decorated, was centred with a six-tier wedding cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Berkeley left for a honeymoon to be spent at Victoria, and upon their return will take up residence at Courtenay. The groom's gift to the bridesmaid was a gold cameo bracelet, and to the best man a set of tie pins.

ABEL—YATES

A quiet wedding took place yesterday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock in St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, when Rev. F. L. Stephenson united in marriage Dorothy Adela, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Stuart Yates, 288 View Royal Avenue, View Royal, to Mr. John Percival Abel, only son of Mrs. William Bradley, Langford, and the late Mr. P. R. Abel. The bride is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Stuart Yates, pioneers of Langford.

The altar was decorated with white chrysanthemums. The bride, wearing a smart tailored suit in tete-de-negre brown, with wide-brimmed hat and matching accessories and a corsage bouquet of yellow roses, was given in marriage by her father. She was attended by her sister, Miss Harriett Margaret Yates, who wore a frock in Paisley silk with a teal blue hat trimmed with wine-colored silk, and carried a corsage bouquet of roses. Mr. William A. Irvine was best man, and the usher was Cadet Eric Tice Fisher, of Mr. Kingswood.

A reception for relatives and intimate friends was held at the home of Rev. F. L. and Mrs. Stephenson, 1931 Bee Street, Oak Bay. Mrs. Stuart Yates received in a beige suit of silk tweed and a black velvet wrap and beige hat trimmed with rust, and was assisted by Mrs. Bradley, who wore a frock of tangerine shade with hat to match.

The young couple stood beneath two large white wedding bells against a background of white chrysanthemums and ferns, the decorations being the handiwork of girl friends of the bride. The refreshments table was arranged with flowers, and centred with the three-tiered wedding cake.

After a brief honeymoon to an unknown destination, Mr. and Mrs. Abel will reside at 343 Michigan Street.

LOUGHRIDGE—RICHMOND

The marriage took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Scobie, Ottawa, on January 14, when Audrey Kathleen, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Richmond, Catherine Street, Victoria, became the bride of Mr. Charles Willard Loughridge, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Loughridge, Morewood, Ont. Rev. Russell McGillivray, of Southminster United Church, Ottawa, officiated. The bride was given away by her father. Mr. and Mrs. Loughridge will make their home at Morewood. The out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Richmond, Victoria; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Loughridge, Mr. and Mrs. J. Edgerton, Miss Marjorie Loughridge, and Mr. Wesley Loughridge, Morewood.

WARREN—BUTT

Very quietly, with a celebration of Holy Communion, the marriage took place at 9 o'clock yesterday morning at St. Alban's Church of Kathleen, daughter of Mrs. Butt and of the late Mr. Richard Butt, Royal Oak, and Mr. Percy Frederick Warren, son of Mrs. Warren and of the late Mr. Edward Warren, Belmont Avenue. The officiating clergyman was the rector, Rev. F. Comley.

The bride, who wore her tailored travelling costume, with hat and accessories in keeping, was attended by the bridegroom's sister, Miss Dorothy Warren, and the best man was the bridegroom's brother, Mr. Herbert Edward Warren.

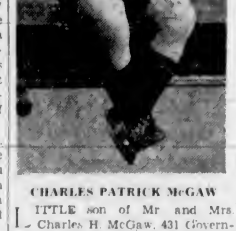
Following the ceremony at the church and an informal wedding breakfast, the bride and bridegroom left for their honeymoon trip Up-Island. On their return they will take up residence at Mount Newton Crossroad, Mr. Warren being an horticulturist.

The bride, who is in charge of the municipal clerk's office at Royal Oak, during the past week had a number of complimentary showers given in her honor.

MARSHALL—STOREY

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Storey, Chambers Street, announce the marriage of their youngest daughter, Ethel, to Mr. Frank E. Marshall, only son of Mrs. O. B. Marshall, Verrinder Avenue, and Mr. E. C. Marshall, Vancouver. The wedding took place recently.

Little Victorian Has Second Birthday



CHARLES PATRICK McGAW

LITTLE son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. McGaw, 431 Government Street, celebrated his second birthday on January 12. His grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McGaw, 600 Speed Avenue, and Mr. W. C. Wilson, 78 San Juan Avenue.—Photo by Savannah.

ENGAGEMENTS

MOBEY—ROBBINS

The engagement is announced of Harriette Elizabeth Robbins, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvanus Robbins, Royal Oak, to Mr. Edwin Mobey, son of Mr. Percy Mobey, Finlayson Avenue.

ARGALL—FREWING

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Frewing, 2098 Cadboro Bay Road, announce the engagement of their second daughter, Olive Mary, to Mr. Charles Gordon Argall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Argall, Beechwood Avenue. The wedding will take place quietly in February.

NORTH QUADRA SCOUTS DANCE

The North Quadra Scouts held their monthly dance in the Scout Hall, Quadra Street, recently. A most enjoyable time was spent dancing from 9 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. to the music supplied by a four-piece orchestra. Refreshments were served.

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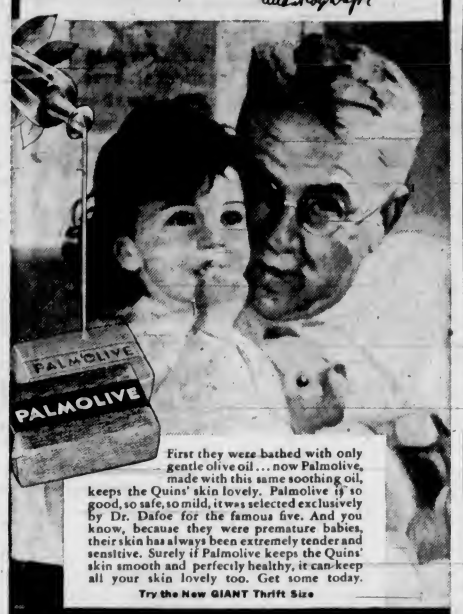

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Reports Read At St. John's By Auxiliary

The monthly board meeting of the Columbia Board of W.A. was held on Friday in St. John's Hall, with a large attendance of members and visitors.

After the opening service, the members were welcomed by Mrs. Brake, president of St. John's branch. A standing tribute was paid to the late Mrs. Randall, a member of St. John's and St. Matthias', who recently passed away. The president, Mrs. D. M. Duncan, welcomed Miss Rathbone as the new Living Message secretary, and Miss Lee after her serious illness.

Mrs. Dickson and Mrs. J. N. Harper were appointed delegates to the annual meeting of the Local Council of Women in February. The treasurer, Mrs. Bengough, gave an excellent report, showing that all pledges had been met. A letter from Rev. H. R. Trumpour was read, thanking W.A. for their gift of bursaries to the Anglican Theological College. Miss Mott, new Dorcas secretary, displayed samples of material for the Dorcas work. The board authorized the purchase of a new carpet for the sanctuary of the mission church at Tofino.

Noonday devotions and a helpful address on W.A. work at home and abroad were conducted by Rev. Canon Chadwick.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The afternoon session was opened with prayers by Lady Lake, followed by a roll call of the branches. The educational secretary reported new cards on hand for prayer partners, also the purchase of three new books. The new study book for next year will be based on the Madras Conference. Miss Checkley reported that the doll dressing competition will not be held this year. Lantern slides on the junior study book will be given in the city this month.

An encouraging report on finances was given by the girls' secretary, Mrs. Frew, who stated membership had increased well during the past year. The girls' annual meeting will be held during the Easter holidays.

Miss Rathbone asked that all outstanding subscriptions for Living Message be sent in before the annual meeting. Mrs. Parsons read an interesting "did you see" paper.

The dates of the annual meeting are March 7, 8, 9 and 10, to be held in the Memorial Hall. Mrs. Pinhorn was named convener of hospitality, and a nomination committee was formed with Mrs. F. Laughlin as convener.

It has been suggested that one or two board meetings during the year might be held in the evening to enable members of evening branches to attend.

It was announced the World Day of Prayer will be observed on February 24.

TELLS OF ALERT BAY

Mrs. F. V. Venables, who has recently returned from a visit to Alert Bay, gave a delightful talk on the Christmas festivities held there. Two hundred and twelve children attend the modern, well ventilated school, and many people are given medical care at the hospital. The Indians themselves contribute generously toward the upkeep of the church and its work.

On behalf of the people of Alert Bay, Mrs. Venables extended a warm invitation to the president to visit them soon. Mrs. Duncan thanked Mrs. Venables for her interesting address.

Thanks to St. John's for their kind hospitality were expressed by Mrs. Kirkpatrick Crockett, and by Miss Foster to Canon Chadwick for his helpful address.

The next board meeting will be held at St. Matthias' on February 17.

ON FORTY-EIGHT HOUR WEEK

NANAIMO, Jan. 21.—Nurses and other employees of Nanaimo Hospital will be placed on a forty-eight-hour week, according to a decision made by the hospital board last Thursday night. The annual meeting of the board has been announced for February 9.

CANADIAN CORPS OF COMMISSIONAIRES

Victoria (V.I.) Company

Orders by Commander C. T. Beard, R.C.N., Commandant.

Orderly staff-sergeant for the month ending February 3, Staff-Sgt. A. Derbyshire; orderly commissionaire, Commissionaire B. Skehan; next for duty, E. Perry.

Parade—There will be no parade Monday, January 23, 1938.

Strength — Decreased by one. Cause, dismissed for misconduct.

C. T. BEARD, R.C.N.
Commander, Commandant.

Military Activities

5th B.C. COAST BRIGADE, R.C.A.

McKenna, M.C., Officer Commanding.

Part I

Duties for Week Ending January 28, 1939—Orderly officer, 2nd-Lieut. E. F. Marshall; next for duty, Lieut. G. C. D'Arcy. Orderly sergeant, L.-Sgt. W. N. Armstrong; next for duty, L.-Sgt. V. Palmer. Orderly bombardier, Bdr. J. W. Hunt; next for duty, Bdr. E. W. Rance. Orderly trumpeter, Bdr. E. J. Harvey.

Parades—All units of the brigade will parade at the Armoury on Tuesday, January 24, 1939. Dress: Mufti. Fall in at 19:00 hours under respective battery commanders. Supper will be served to all ranks at 18:15 hours. Swimming pool will be available from 17:00 hours to 18:00 hours. Sports equipment will be available on Friday evenings and the orderly bombardier will be responsible for issuance. All equipment will be signed for.

Textbooks—All textbooks on loan to officers or other ranks are to be returned immediately. Any outstandings after Tuesday, January 24, will be charged to the individuals concerned.

Part II

Appointments, Promotions and Retirements—Second A.A. Battery: To be second-lieutenant (Supy), Lieut. W. J. Farnsworth, from the Fort Garry's, June 27, 1938.

Strength Increase—The following O.R.'s are taken on strength and posted to batteries as under: 1286, Gnr. V. A. Elder, 55th Heavy Battery, R.C.A., 29-11-38; 1287, Gnr. C. P. Pearson, 55th Heavy Battery, R.C.A., 10-1-39; 3297, Gnr. F. M. Leach, 56th Heavy Battery, R.C.A., 6-12-38; 3298, P. N. Thomas, 56th Heavy Battery, R.C.A., 10-1-39; 3299, Gnr. N. E. Ferguson, 56th Heavy Battery, R.C.A., 10-1-39; 3300, Gnr. K. S. Earl, 56th Heavy Battery, R.C.A., 10-1-39; 638, Gnr. J. Wilson, Second A.A. Battery, R.C.A., 10-1-39, 10-1-39.

Promotions (56th Heavy Battery, R.C.A.) — To be lance-bombardier: 3093, Gnr. W. Petterson, as from 20-12-38; 3242, Gnr. B. M. Cavin, as from 21-12-38; 3247, Gnr. A. E. Hardy, as from 22-12-38.

Transfers—The following N.C.O.'s are transferred to 60th Heavy Battery, R.C.A.: 5073, Sgt. W. J. Sullivan; 5057, Sgt. T. G. M. Custance; 5204, Sgt. G. B. Bowden, 55th Heavy Battery, R.C.A., from 10-1-39.

Strength Decrease (55th Heavy Battery, R.C.A.) — 3188, Bdr. J. Thompson, 6-12-38; 5229, Gnr. E. H. Berry; 5257, Gnr. D. Scroggie; 5215, Gnr. J. E. Sparrow; 1251, Gnr. F. G. Buxton; 1252, Gnr. C. G. S. Stevens; 1264, Gnr. K. Gamey; 1265, Gnr. A. E. Merriman; 1272, Gnr. G. W. Henderson; 1278, Gnr. H. Jepsen; 1279, Gnr. L. R. Knowles; 1270, Gnr. R. Thomas; 1274, Gnr. I. C. Range, 10-1-39; L.-Bdr. N. E. Bloor, 6-1-39; 1198, L.-Sgt. G. H. Barker; 5137, Bdr. M. B. Grossman; 1232, Gnr. H. H. Harris; 5255, Gnr. C. Kelway; 1227, Gnr. G. D. Nelligan; 5211, Gnr. F. Pellett; 1221, Gnr. R. J. Ward, 10-1-39.

F. T. McINTOSH (Lieut.-Adjt.),
5th B.C. Coast Brigade, R.C.A.

17th FORTRESS COY., ROYAL CANADIAN ENGINEERS (N.P.)

Orders by Major J. H. McIntosh, Officer Commanding.

Parades—The 17th Fortress Coy., R.E., will parade at Coy. HQ at 20:00 hours Tuesday, January 24, 1939.

Duties—To be orderly sergeant for the ensuing week, L.-Sgt. R. J. Cox.

Strength Increase—114 Spr. J. McCormick, effective 17-1-39; 115 Spr. A. G. Brook, effective 17-1-39.

J. H. McINTOSH, Major,
O.C. 17th Fortress Coy., R.C.E. (N.P.), Esquimalt, B.C.

1st BATTALION (16th C.E.F.), CANADIAN SCOTTISH REGIMENT

Battalion orders by Major E. A. Henderson, officer commanding.

Part I

Orderly Duties — Orderly duties for week ending January 28, 1939, are as follows: Orderly officer, 2nd-Lieut. J. L. Muirhead; next for duty, 2nd-Lieut. C. E. C. MacNeill. Orderly sergeant, A.-Sgt. A. Gorse; next for duty, A.-Sgt. W. C. Simpson. Orderly corporal, Cpl. D. H. Grant; next for duty, L.-Cpl. E. R. McMinn. Duty company, H.Q. Company; next for duty, "A" Company.

Battalion Training Parade, Monday, January 23, 1939—All ranks will parade in company rooms at 19:55 hours. Dress: Drill order. The battalion will fall in at 20:00 hours. 20:00 hours to 20:10 hours, the roll will be called by companies on the floor of the Armoury; 20:10 hours to 20:55 hours, "A" and "B" Companies, lecture, "Infantry in the Defence"; "C" and "D" Companies, guard training; 21:00 hours to 21:40 hours, "A" and "B" Companies, guard training; "C" and "D" Companies, lecture, "Infantry in the Defence." The Pipe Band will parade in uniform with the battalion. It is essential that all members of the Pipe Band attend this parade in uniform. Roll and parade states will be completed by 21:30 hours. 21:40 hours, the battalion will fall in for dismissal.

Recruits' Training—Monday, January 23, and Thursday, January 26, 1939. Recruits will assemble for training on these dates at 20:00 hours. Dress will be optional.

Band Clothing—All other ranks of the Brass Band will turn in scarlet doublets to store, also all plaids, on Thursday, January 26, 1939, and will be issued with khaki service doublets.

The Colonel Lindsay Cup — The following N.C.O. has been awarded the Colonel Lindsay Cup on the conclusion of the training season, 1937-38: No. 1785, Sgt. A. F. Walker, "C" Company.

Issue of Boots, Ankle, to N.P.A.M. on payment—The following extract from District Order No. 6 of 1939 is published for information: "It is to be particularly noted that indents for boots for the 1939 camp training must be received by the district ordnance officer, M.D. No. 11, by April 1, 1939, accompanied by deposits receipts to cover the value" (V. 58-1-12-3).

Part II

Attestations — The following recruits, having been duly attested, are taken on the strength, allotted regimental numbers, and posted as follows: 1888, Signlr. R. W. Smith, H.Q.; 1889, Pte. R. V. Clark, "B"; 1890, Piper G. D. Macbeth, Pipe Band, with effect from 16-1-39; 1891, Bdsmn. A. L. Stevens, Regimental Band, with effect from 19-1-39.

Re-Enlistment — The following man, having re-enlisted, is taken on the strength, allotted his former regimental number and posted as follows: 1665, Piper W. N. McG. Scott, Pipe Band, with effect 16-1-39.

Reattestations — The following warrant officers and N.C.O.'s and bandsmen have been reattested for a further period of three years' service: 912, Bandmaster (W.O. I) A. Wallace, Pipe Band; 845, C.S.M. E. R. Callaghan, "D"; 503, Sgt. B. Drysdale, H.Q.; 1346, L.-Cpl. H. Beckwith, Pipe Band; 1190, L.-Cpl. G. Gibson, Pipe Band, with effect from 16-1-39; 760, Bdsmn. H. McKenzie, Regimental Band; 1566, Bdsmn. J. A. Mossop, Regimental Band; 776, Bdsmn. R. H. Muirhead, Regimental Band, with effect from 19-1-39.

Leave of Absence—The following man has been granted leave as shown: 1838, Pte. D. Addison, "D," from 16-1-39 to 27-2-39.

Extension of Leave—The following is granted an extension of leave as shown: 1464, Piper R. Johnson, Pipe Band, from 1-1-39 to 31-3-39.

Change in Rank — The following drummers, having attained the age of eighteen years, assume the rank of private: 1780, Drmr. J. E. Pearson, "A," with effect from 9-11-38; 1757, Drmr. M. J. Cunningham, "C," with effect from 15-1-39.

Discharges — The following warrant officer, Class II, is discharged, time expired: 445, C.S.M. G. Heale, H.Q., with effect from 10-1-39. The following man, having enlisted in "B" Company, P.P.C.L.I., is discharged: 1869, Bdsmn. A. T. Holder, Regimental Band, with effect from 12-12-38.

W. H. PARKER (Captain),
Adjutant, 1st Battalion, Canadian Scottish Regiment.

6th DIVISIONAL ROYAL CANADIAN ARMY SERVICE CORPS

Petrol Company
2nd Composite Company

Orders for the week ending January 28, 1939—Orderly officer, 2nd Lieut. H. T. Scott; next for duty, 2nd Lieut. E. MacLeod. Orderly sergeant, Sgt. Branston; next for duty, Cpl. Cammiade.

Both units will parade at the Armoury, Bay Street, Tuesday, January 24, at 20:00 hours.

All candidates for the Royal School must attend this parade.

K. E. MORRIS, Lieut.
For Officer Commanding.

No. 5 ARMY FIELD WORKSHOP, R.C.O.P. (N.P.)

Orders by Lieut.-Col. H. E. Goodman, Officer Commanding.

Part I

Parade—No. 5 Army Field Workshop, R.C.O.C. (N.P.) will parade at R.C.O.C. Depot, Signal Hill, at 20:00 hours (8 p.m.) on Tuesday, January 24, 1939. Dress, drill order.

Duties—Orderly officer for the week, Lieut. H. A. Sturrock; next in line for duty, Lieut. J. A. MacKay. Orderly sergeant for the week, Sgt. R. M. Burnett; next in line for duty, Sgt. J. Rutherford.

Part II

Attestations—Taken on strength: 48 Pte. R. E. Foster, 22-11-38; 49 Pte. F. W. Espley, 22-11-38; 50 Pte. W. Reid, 22-11-38; 51 Pte. W. J. MacLennan, 6-11-38; 52 Pte. J. M. Histon, 21-12-38; 53 Pte. D. G. Pringle, 10-1-39; 54 Pte. C. R. Rich, 17-1-39; 55 Pte. C. A. Wilson, 17-1-39.

Postings—48 Pte. R. E. Foster to No. 1 Recovery Section, 22-11-38; 49 Pte. F. W. Espley to No. 1 Rec. Section, 22-11-38; 50 Pte. W. Reid to No. 1 Rec. Section, 22-11-38; 51 Pte. W. J. MacLennan, to No. 1 Rec. Section, 6-12-38; 52 Pte. J. M. Histon, to No. 2 Rec. Section, No. 2 Rec. Section, 10-1-39; 54 Pte. C. R. Rich, to No. 2 Rec. Section, 21-12-38; 53 Pte. D. G. Pringle to C. R. Rich, to No. 2 Rec. Section, 17-1-39; 55 Pte. C. A. Wilson to No. 3 Rec. Section, 17-1-39.

J. A. BENNELL, Lieut.
A.-Adjt., No. 5 Army Field Workshop, R.C.O.C. (N.P.).

No. II, DISTRICT STORE SECTION, ROYAL CANADIAN ORDNANCE CORPS (N.P.)

Part I Orders for week ending January 28, 1939, by Capt. H. Collings, M.B.E., officer commanding.

Parades — No. II, District Store Section, R.C.O.C., will parade at unit headquarters, Signal Hill, Esquimalt, at 20:00 hours, Thursday, January 26, 1939.

Provisional School—A provisional school will be held for a period of six weeks, commencing Monday, January 30, 1939. Names of candidates will be taken on parade January 26 or by the commanding officer over the telephone.

Duties—Orderly sergeant for week ending January 28, Cpl. F. H. Neel; next for duty, Cpl. W. A. H. Aldorf.

H. COLLINGS (Capt.),
Officer Commanding.

13th FIELD AMBULANCE R.C.A.M.C. (N.P.)

Part I

Parade—The unit will parade at the Armoury, Bay Street, Victoria, on Tuesday, January 24, 1939, at 19:45 hours. Dress, drill order.

Orderly Duties—To be orderly officer, Lieut. A. Turnbull, next for duty, Lieut. J. S. McCannel. To be orderly sergeant, S.-Sgt. J. Newbigging; next for duty, Sgt. E. Jones.

Fall-In and inspection at 20.00 hours.

Unit drill at 20:15 hours.

Lectures—First aid at 21:00 hours.

Part II

Postings—Lieut. J. M. McKinnon from No. 13th Fld. Amb. to No. 6 Fld. Amb., D.O. No. 9, 12-1-39, M.O. No. 480, effective, 1-10-38.

Retirement—Lieut. J. A. Addison is retired general list, M.D. No. 11, D.O. No. 2, effective 5-1-39.

Strength Decrease—93 Pte. N. Simpson, struck off strength; 113 Pte. G. J. Anderson, struck off strength, Pt. II O., No. 2, effective 17-1-39.

Leave of Absence — 45 Sgt. E. Jones granted leave from 24-1-39 to 30-1-39. Pt. II O. No. 2, effective 17-1-39.

C.A. WATSON, Capt.
A.-Adjt., 13th Fld. Amb.

COURT MAPLE LEAF

Court Maple Leaf, No. 9302, Ancient Order of Foresters, will hold its regular meeting tomorrow at 8 p.m. After the business session, a social court whist game will be held and prizes given. All Foresters are invited to attend the fraternal church service to be held today at St. John's Church, Quadra Street, at 3 p.m. A freewill offering will be taken and the proceeds given to the Solarium.

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Plays and Players

'Dramatic School' Offers Delightful Entertainment

The ambitions, struggles, disappointments and joys of a group of young people who form a caste by themselves, whose thoughts and behavior differ widely from other strata in the social structure, are dramatically bared in "Dramatic School," which will show for the last times Monday night at the Dominion Theatre.

The new picture brings to the screen two brilliant acting portrayals, one offered by Luise Rainer as the poor student who works in a factory at night in order to earn her tuition, and the other by Paulette Goddard, who as a fashionable student of the school has a role offering an intense dramatic contrast to that of Miss Rainer's.

"Dramatic School" is the story of Louise Mauban, a factory worker and drama pupil. She lives in a world of dreams, for everything is a play to her. She even creates an imaginary lover whose existence her classmates doubt. They plan to expose her, to place her face to face with the handsome young Marquis whom she boasts as her lover. But the Marquis, a stranger to her, plays her game. He falls in love with her and a beautiful romance follows.

JOAN CRAWFORD HEADS BIG CAST

Has Leading Role in "The Shining Hour," With Margaret Sullavan And Robert Young

With a star-studded cast including Joan Crawford, Margaret Sullavan, Robert Young, Melvyn Douglas and Fay Bainter, "The Shining Hour" opens at the Atlas Theatre tomorrow for an engagement of two days.

The story, directed by Frank Borzage, centres round a world-famous dancer, who, tiring of the glare of the spotlight, marries a wealthy farmer. Complications ensue when her husband's sister resents the presence of the dancer in the family home. To make matters worse, her brother-in-law falls in love with her.

Lovers in Capitol Story

LORETTA YOUNG AND RICHARD GREENE
Who Portray a Courageous Southland Romance Almost Wrecked by a Smouldering Family Enmity of Generations, in "Kentucky," the Technicolor Picture Currently Showing at the Capitol Theatre.

Thrilling Kentucky Derby Screened in Technicolor

For the first time in the history of the motion picture, the Kentucky Derby will be seen on the screen in full natural color when "Kentucky," the 20th Century-Fox Technicolor production featuring Loretta Young, Richard Greene and Walter Brennan opens tomorrow at the Capitol Theatre.

In the many years that newsreel companies have been filming the running of the Derby, no shots have been made in anything but black and white.

The huge Technicolor cameras have now captured every glint of brilliant color to be found in America's premier turf classic. With the aid of race officials and stable owners, Director David Butler was given every facility to make this one of the most dramatic sporting events ever filmed.

"Kentucky," a romance of the Blue Grass country, is said to have captured the glorious tradition of that state. Loretta Young and Richard Greene are seen as the two young lovers who are born to the traditional enmity between their families which has carried over since the Civil War.

"SARATOGA" WILL BE AT COLUMBIA MONDAY

A complete horse farm, stocked with animals ranging from veteran race horses to colts, was constructed at the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios that Lionel Barrymore might turn horse-breeded. This was one of the largest sets in "Saratoga," which will come to the Columbia Theatre tomorrow, with Clark Gable and Jean Harlow co-starred.

A dramatic story of racing, "Saratoga" is replete with racing thrills that required intensive technical work. Careening race horses were followed by cameras at all the big tracks in the United States, especially Saratoga.

CONCERT TO BE GIVEN IN THE ORANGE HALL

An evening of harmony and humor has been arranged for tomorrow at 8 p.m. under the auspices of the Premier Loyal Orange Lodge in the Hall, 725 Courtney Street.

The programme will consist of humorous and sentimental glees, plantation melodies, songs, duets, monologues and impersonations.

OAK BAY WILL OFFER "PROFESSOR, BEWARE"

Full of Harold Lloyd situations and Lloyd gags is the comedy, "Professor, Beware," which will open Monday at the Oak Bay Theatre.

Lloyd is teamed with Phyllis Welch in this story of an Egyptologist who loses his job with a museum after becoming mixed up with an aspiring young actress, and then sets out on a cross-country jaunt to catch a boat in New York that will carry him to Egypt, and an archaeological job.

His traveling experiences are uproariously funny, and the surprise ending, when Lloyd leads an assault on a yacht, is tops in Lloydian comedy.

Gold and Silver Sent Into France From Barcelona

PERPIGNAN, France, Jan. 21 (AP).—Seven trucks brought forty-five tons of gold and silver bars from Barcelona, capital of Government Spain, into France yesterday. The metal, said to be intended for payment by the Spanish Government for purchases abroad, was put on a train at Port Vendres for shipment to Paris.

VICTORIA KIPLING SOCIETY

The monthly meeting of the Victoria Kipling Society will be held on Wednesday at 8 p.m. in the headquarters of the society over the Royal Bank of Canada, corner of Fort and Cook Streets. After the business session, a trio of Kipling's short Indian stories will be read by Mrs. G. R. Thomson, and G. R. Thomson will contribute some of the author's poems. A hearty welcome is extended to all those interested in the writings of the well-known author.

AMUSEMENTS

On the Screen

Atlas — "The Shining Hour," starring Joan Crawford.

Capitol — "Kentucky," featuring Loretta Young.

Columbia — Clark Gable in "Saratoga."

Dominion — Luise Rainer in "Dramatic School."

Oak Bay — Harold Lloyd in "Professor Beware."

Plaza — "Trade Winds," starring Fredric March.

SENTENCED TO DEATH FOR HAVING ARMS

JERUSALEM, Jan. 21 (CP-Havas).—Mustafa Aljezairi, alleged to be one of the principal aids of the Arab rebel leader, Aref Abdul Razzek, was sentenced to death by a military court today for illegal possession of arms.

INTERESTING TO BOTANISTS

Plant Presented to Museum By Surveyor Proves to Be Douglasia Laevigata

Botanists of British Columbia may be interested to know that among plants collected by Norman Stewart, of the topographic survey branch of the British Columbia Department of Lands, during the survey season in Strathcona Park, one has been identified as Douglasia Laevigata. It was located on Mount Rooster's Comb.

Winifred V. Hardy, recorder of botany at the provincial museum here, identified the plant, but to make sure sent it to the University of California for verification.

Dr. L. Constance, writing from the southern institution to Mrs. Hardy, states as follows:

"I am grateful to you for the opportunity of seeing the specimen of Douglasia from Strathcona Park. I quite agree with your determination, and this is the first collection of D. laevigata or its variety which I have seen, not only from Vancouver Island, but also from British Columbia. There was every reason to suspect its presence on Vancouver Island, but no one appears to have discovered it previously."

BUILDING IS LESS ACTIVE

Permits for Suburban Homes Still Being Issued at Municipal Halls

The building permits for the suburban districts included in Greater Victoria of necessity show a falling off during the past week, with the advance of the Winter season. In spite of this, however, there were new permits to the value of $13,065 taken out in Oak Bay and Saanich. Esquimalt had no new permits during the past week.

In Oak Bay there was only one permit, that for a $7,000 residence at 3040 Uplands Road, which was taken out by A. Latham. The home will contain seven rooms. Work is already in progress on the undertaking.

SAANICH HOMES

In Saanich there were eleven permits issued, representing $6,065. Many of these were for improvements to existing buildings.

S. Stringer will erect a five-roomed dwelling on "S" Street at a cost of $2,000.

James Antrobus will build a four-roomed dwelling on S Street at a cost of $1,600.

On Parker Avenue, R. Genn will erect a home of three rooms, costing $1,000.

What Today Means

"AQUARIUS"

If January 22 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.; from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m., and from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. The danger periods are from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m.; from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., and from 9:30 to 11:30 p.m.

By resorting to technicalities many people will foment trouble this day, so in business matters exercise the greatest care. Persons who resort to trickery to gain any point or unfair advantage may be caught in their own traps later on. Flattery is apt to be used a great deal this day to curry favor and appease persons who have a real or fancied grievance. Be on your guard against anyone who is willing to enter into a verbal, but not a written agreement, for his or her reluctance to do so might be an indication of a lack of sincerity to fulfill the contract involved. A love for displaying power will make many a person act in a decidedly foolish fashion, so resist any such temptation. Count the costs that might follow your indulging your feelings, particularly if your action borders on a case of "cutting off your own nose to spite your face." Married and engaged couples, as well as those whom love has brought together, ought to find this a propitious day for exchanging confidences and discussing plans for the future.

If a woman and January 22 is your birthday, you are probably quick to grasp the import of complicated problems. Your good judgment is likely to result in your making many wise decisions. Facts appeal to you, but surmises are apt to irritate you, especially if someone expresses his opinion regarding any matter that he is really not qualified to pass judgment on. Circumstances always alter cases, and in your experiences you may discover that the average person too often reaches a conclusion without knowing conditions, situations, and perhaps, emergencies responsible for courses pursued. Your tenacity will enable you to overcome obstacles, reverses, or any opposition you might encounter in a business or professional career. As a business or professional woman, particularly in the selling, literary or artistic field, you should win a remarkable amount of flattering publicity and have a run of financial luck. A great deal of pleasure and happiness is likely to come to you through your marriage.

The child born on January 22 may want to have its own way, especially in planning things with its playmates. In this particular it is important that parents take the trouble to make this youngster realize the error of its ways. Generally very smart, children born on this date have little difficulty in making their way in any undertaking.

If a man and January 22 is your natal day, fate seems ready to lead to happiness. Chemistry, exploration, politics, acting, theology, brokeraging, writing and dramatic work are among the lines of activity through which prosperity and success might be won by you.

MONDAY, JANUARY 23
"AQUARIUS"

If January 23 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 10:45 a.m. to 12:45 p.m.; from 1:45 to 3:45 p.m., and from 7:45 to 9:45 p.m. The danger periods are from 8:45 to 10:45 a.m.; from 5:45 to 7:45 p.m., and from 9:45 to 11:45 p.m.

Pride in some possession is likely to make the average person boastful this day, so be patient with your friends if they indulge in a bit of bragging. Handle things with care, for many articles may be unusually brittle. In climbing or leaning against anything be sure that your weight can be sustained, because many accidents might be due to things you count on holding you giving way. Do not try to accomplish too much in one day. It will be much better to accomplish one or two things well, than a dozen poorly. You may have a great deal to gain and nothing to lose by taking some kind of a chance this day. Keep your mind free from prejudices, for they are apt to be very expensive through misjudging someone's motives. Married and engaged couples, as well as those who are in love, should remember "He that plants thorns must never expect to gather roses."

If a woman and January 23 is your birthday, to be happy you must be sure that whatever you do is done in moderation. Extravagance is frequently the medium through which unhappiness comes to many born on this day. Kind-hearted and generous almost to a fault, you ought to enjoy the good will of many classes of people. You can, with little effort, develop your intellectual faculties to a marked degree. Your love for beautiful and luxurious things is apt to be satisfied through your acquisition of money. You may be reluctant to take advice, and this trait, at times, might be a mistake. Work along some artistic line of endeavor. Writing, brokeraging or teaching ought to provide the means of an excellent livelihood and an enviable reputation. A congenial husband and the developing of common interests should help make your married life a very happy one.

The child born on January 23 generally has many possibilities through the development of latent talents. A good brain and steady nerves ought to be among this youngster's greatest assets.

If a man and January 23 is your natal day, if you overcome any inclination you might have to sidetrack important issues, nothing can impede your progress. In electrical engineering, agricultural, botanical, architectural, theatrical, educational, literary or theological work you can make money and a name for yourself.

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'Trade Winds' Is Booked By the Plaza Theatre

Tay Garnett, globe-trotting film director who roams the seven seas in search of unfamiliar backgrounds for motion pictures, recently completed in Hollywood the screenplay which is the result of his most ambitious expedition.

The picture is "Trade Winds," which will open tomorrow at the Plaza Theatre, with Fredric March and Joan Bennett in the starring roles. Though the story begins and ends in San Francisco, portions of the action take place in authentic locations in seven countries of the Far East, in the course of a detective chase which leads the principal characters half way around the world.

Personally Garnett, a true lover of the sea, is a strapping figure of a man, an Irish-American who combines many of the characteristics of both races. His eyes twinkle with humor, and his Irish sentimentality long ago demonstrated its value in the filming of scenes filled with the more tender emotions.

Stars of Current Film

After dinner, in a corner of an Oriental hotel, Fredric March and Ann Sothern cement the details of their intrigue in Walter Wanger's production, "Trade Winds," a United Artists' release, which will open at the Plaza Theatre tomorrow.

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Government Loans Stimulate Building

HOUSING ACT HAS HELPED HOMEMAKERS

Many Have Taken Advantage of Plan to Build and Pay From Income

The proof of the pudding is in the eating . . . the old saying may well be applied to the National Housing Act, which has done and is doing so much toward aiding the householder to build a home of his own and thus alleviate the housing problem, which has assumed acute proportions throughout the Dominion.

Since the act was passed, no less than 7,132 homes have been built under the plan, with a total estimated value of $27,678,002. That British Columbians have found the act to their advantage is shown by the fact that the province rates third in the Dominion, both in the number of approved loans and in the cash value of houses built under the plan.

OUTLINE OF PLAN

Practically every prospective home-builder is familiar with the broad outlines of the National Housing Act, formerly known as the Dominion Housing Act. This plan enables the householder to secure a loan amounting to 80 per cent of the value of the completed property, the remaining 20 per cent to be put in the form of a building lot, cash or both. This loan may be paid off over a period of twenty years, interest, financing and retirement of principal amounting to monthly payments of little more than a nominal rent.

Authorized lending institutions in Victoria who are handling the National Housing Act loans for this area state that Victorians are making good use of the opportunities offered. The head of one leading firm stressed one or two points in advice to prospective clients. "From time to time," he said, "articles have appeared forecasting changes in the N.H.A. that would seemingly offer the public an even more advantageous proposition. The act is, in its present form, pronounced in good working form and further widening of the plan is not under consideration; in fact, the feasibility of doing so is highly problematical. Before making arrangements for using the N.H.A., it is essential that full particulars be secured from an authorized agent, recognized as such by the Government officials."

PROPER PLANS

Another point stressed is the necessity for submitting properly-drawn plans. The restrictions laid down by the act are not arduous and are simply for the protection of the householder and his investment. The difference of a comparatively few dollars in the initial cost makes a house one which will last for years as against one which will deteriorate rapidly.

There are comparative few people who would not be able to build this little cottage and by so doing furnish protection for their families for a great many years, as only stock materials of standard sizes, etc., are incorporated in its design, and its construction is such that an estimated life of one hundred years is not too much.

Nothing to grow tired of, simplicity in all its parts and so home-like that with a little imagination one can almost smell the perfume of the roses on the arbor and the odor of kerosene lights within.

Walls of nonest brick masonry, painted white, if desired, long life wood shingles, heavy gauge sheet metal work, steel casement windows and a poured concrete foundation wall; such construction spells years of use if given any attention at all.

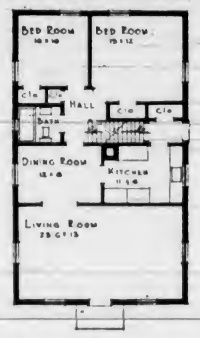
The floor plan is simple and direct, floors are plank type ash, woodwork is of chestnut, darkly stained and varnished with dull finish, plaster is rough textured, bathroom is tiled, all rooms have cross-ventilation and there is plenty of closet space.

The basement extends under the entire house and the usual utility fixtures are found there together with either a recreation room or a garage, or possibly both, if a one-car garage is sufficient.

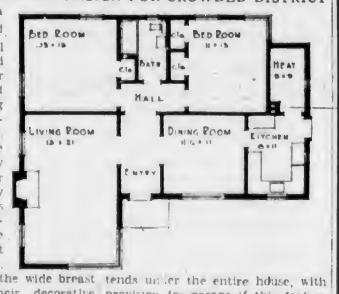
AREA EXTENDED

Considerable interest has been roused by the fact that the Victoria area has been widened. It is now possible to build under the act in adjacent districts hitherto out of the jurisdiction of the local agents.

STURDY AND INEXPENSIVE HIP-ROOF COTTAGE



GOOD DESIGN FOR CROWDED DISTRICT



The accompanying illustration shows a very unusual and thoroughly practical scheme for a small lot located in or near the business centre of a suburb and facing on a principal or arterial thoroughfare. Inasmuch as the adjoining property would be rather close to the property line in a case of this kind, one would depend mostly on the exposure to the street for light and view, and for this reason the wide breast of windows with their decorative treatment.

The baseboard and the narrow molding around all door and window casings in the solarium, living-room and dining-room are painted black. All other woodwork is silver grey and instead of the usual standard grade oak flooring, a good grade of rift sawn yellow pine is used and is painted a rich plum color, the plaster being finished in a medium rough texture and painted an antique ivory.

The bathroom is finished in old ivory, lilac, orchid and black, with chronium-plated metal work. A concrete foundation and basement extends under the entire house, with provision for garage if this feature is desired.

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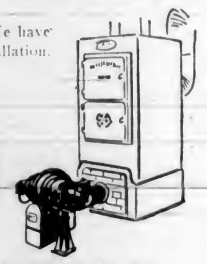

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AROUND the DIAL

TODAY

10:30 a.m.—Queen Wilhelmina of The Netherlands will speak for her people in salute to the New York World's Fair of 1939 and will discuss her country's participation in the event. KOMO, CBR.

11:00 a.m. — The Indianapolis Symphony, under the direction of Fabien Sevitzky, will be heard with the Wagnerian tenor, Lauritz Melchior. Mrs. Booth Tarkington, wife of the famous novelist, will speak. KJR.

3:00 p.m. — Rt. Rev. Monsignor Fulton J. Sheen, of the Catholic University of America, will speak on "The Economic Guarantee of Liberty," during the "Catholic Hour." KOMO.

4:30 p.m.—Ted Weems will bring his talented orchestra to the "Bandwagon" programme, with Perry Como and Elmo Tanner. KOMO, KFI, KPO.

5:00 p.m.—Claudette Colbert will join Nelson Eddy, Elgar Bergen and Charlie McCarthy, Don Ameche and the other stars of this feature in dramatic and comedy scenes. KOMO, KFI, KPO.

6:00 p.m.—"Suez Transit," a mystery melodrama set aboard a luxury liner, will offer Tyrone Power and his guest star, Anita Louise, during the "Hollywood Playhouse" feature. KJR, KGO.

6:00 p.m. — With Helen Jepson, operatic soprano, as the guest artist and Wilfred Pelletier as conductor, the "Sunday Evening Hour" will present music honoring the memory of Robert Burns, the Scottish poet. KIRO, KVI, KSL.

8 p.m.—With an opening speech by President Roosevelt, the "March of Dimes" programme, a drive for infantile paralysis funds, will feature many of the leading radio and screen stars in a full hour's entertainment. The programme will be carried by the N.B.C., C.B.S. and M.B.S. KIRO, KOL, KJR, KGO.

9:45 p.m. — "Hitler and the Ukraine" will be the topic of the University Explorer when he is heard at this time. KJR, KGO.

TOMORROW

1:25 p.m.—Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain will be heard on an Empire broadcast, speaking on "National Service." CBR.

6:00 p.m.—George and Florence Arliss will return to the "Radio Theatre" to co-star in "Cardinal Richelieu," famed French historical play. KIRO, KVI, CBR.

7:00 p.m.—Robert Sim and his Scottish Highland Pipe Band will make a return appearance on the "Contented" programme. The orchestra of Marek Weber will be heard with the Continental Quartette and the Lullaby Lady. KOMO, KFI, CBR.

7:30 p.m.—Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, Prime Minister of Canada, will speak on the "Government of Canada," a series of talks on government departments. CBR.

8:30 p.m.—The new hit "I Promise You" and Cole Porter's "Night and Day" will highlight the programme of Mart Kenney and his Western Gentlemen on this broadcast with Georgia Dey and Art Hallman. CBR.

Sunday's Programme

(The following programmes are compiled by the various broadcasting companies and are subject to change.)

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (1150 Kcys.)

11 00 a.m.—Christ Church Cathedral.
12 30 p.m.—Feature Time
12 45 p.m.—Melodic Interlude.
1 00 p.m.—Sunday Hour.
5 15 p.m.—Sunday Afternoon Concert.
5 30 p.m.—Christian Science.
5 45 p.m.—Concert Hour.
6 15 p.m.—Sacred Songs.
6 30 p.m.—Gospel Sunshine Hour
7 00 p.m.—Musical Interlude.
7 15 p.m.—Cathedral Bells.
7 30 p.m.—Christ Church Cathedral.
8 45 p.m.—News Summary.
9 00 p.m.—Sunday Smiles.
9.30 p.m.—Piano Musings, John Line.

CJOR, Vancouver (600 Kcys.)

9 00 a.m.—B.C. Church of the Air.
9 30 a.m.—Request Hour
10 30 a.m.—Sunday Song Service
11.00 a.m.—Metropolitan Tabernacle
12.30 p.m.—Concert Miniature.
12 45 p.m.—Ballad Music.
1:00 p.m.—Sunday Hour
1:30 p.m.—Shut-In Programme.
1 45 p.m.—Musical Interlude.
2 00 p.m.—Kitsilano Band.
2 30 p.m.—Ukranian Talk.
3.00 p.m.—Famous Voices.
3 15 p.m.—Foursquare Gospel Lighthouse
4 15 p.m.—Concert Time
4 30 p.m.—Svenska Pressen.
5 00 p.m.—Scandinavian Baptist Mission
5:15 p.m.—British-Israel Association.
6 00 p.m.—Concert Hall.
6.30 p.m.—Waltz Time.
7.00 p.m.—News.
7 15 p.m.—Heroic Dogs
7 30 p.m.—Christ Church Cathedral.
9 00 p.m.—News
9 15 p.m.—Michelin Nocturne.

C.B.C. NETWORK

9.00 a.m.—Dr. Charles Courboin
9 30 a.m.—Salt Lake City Tabernacle Choir.
10 00 a.m.—Musically Speaking.
10 30 a.m.—Salute of Nations.
11 00 a.m.—And It Came to Pass.
11 30 a.m.—The Catholic Hour
12 00 noon—New York Philharmonic Orch
2 00 p.m.—Church of the Air.
2 30 p.m.—Chorus and Strings.
3 00 p.m.—Silver Theatre
3 30 p.m.—The World Today.
4 00 p.m.—"Drums." drama
4 30 p.m.—Vancouver Symphony.
5 00 p.m.—C.B.C. Symphony Hour.
6 00 p.m.—Reginald Stewart.
6 30 p.m.—The Lyric Trio and Alan McIvor
7 00 p.m.—National Forum.
7 30 p.m.—By the Sea.
8 00 p.m.—The News
8 15 p.m.—The Art Singer
8 30 p.m.—Serenade for Strings.
9 00 p.m.—Concert Band—Calvin Winter
9 30 p.m.—In Recital.
9 45 p.m.—The News
10 00 p.m.—The Romance of Sacred Song

N.B.C.-KPO RED NETWORK (KHQ-KOW-KFI-KPO-KOMO)

8 00 a.m.—Press News.
8 15 a.m.—Chimney House.
8 30 a.m.—Meridan Music.
9 00 a.m.—Seattle Pacific College (KOMO)
9 30 a.m.—University of Chicago Round Table.
10 00 a.m.—Irene Wicker's Plays.
10 30 a.m.—Salute of Nations.
11 00 a.m.—Dinner at Aunt Fannie's.
11:30 a.m.—Barry McKinley.
12 00 noon—Biographies (KOMO).
12 30 p.m.—Vivian Della Chiesa.
12 45 a.m.—Bob Becker.
1 00 p.m.—Rangers' Serenade.
1 30 p.m.—The World Is Yours.
2 00 p.m.—Uncle Ezra's Sunday Afternoon
2 30 p.m.—Gallion Brothers.
2 45 p.m.—Organ
3 00 p.m.—Old Songs of the Church
4 00 p.m.—Professor Puzzlewit.
4 30 p.m.—Bandwagon.
5 00 p.m.—Bergen and McCarthy; Nelson Eddy, baritone
6 00 p.m.—Manhattan Merry-Go-Round.
6 30 p.m.—Album of Familiar Music.
7 00 p.m.—The Circle.
8 00 p.m.—Walter Winchell.
8 15 p.m.—Irene Rich
8 30 p.m.—Jack Benny.
9 00 p.m.—Seth Parker
9 30 p.m.—One Man's Family.
10 00 p.m.—News Flashes.
10.15 p.m.—Paul Carson, organ.

N.B.C.-KGO BLUE NETWORK (KOO-KJR-KEX-KECA-KOA)

8 00 a.m.—Dr Kenyon's Church of the Air (KJR)
8 30 a.m.—Compass Mission (KJR).
9 00 a.m.—Radio City Music Hall.
10 00 a.m.—Great Plays
11 00 a.m.—Magic Key
12 00 noon—Armco Band
12 30 p.m.—Festival of Music.
1 00 p.m.—National Vespers
1 30 p.m.—Rev Henry R Ness (KJR)
2 00 p.m.—Metropolitan Opera Auditorium
2 30 p.m.—Rev Bard (KJR).
3 00 p.m.—Catholic Hour.
3 30 p.m.—New Friends in Music.
4 00 p.m.—Lutheran Gospel Hour (KJR)
4 30 p.m.—John Seagle (KJR)
4 45 p.m.—Paul Carson, organist.
5 00 p.m.—Rev. J. M Amundsen (KOMO).
5 30 p.m.—Swing Soiree.
6 00 p.m.—Hollywood Playhouse.
6 30 p.m.—Readers Guide
6 45 p.m.—National Conference of Jews and Christians
7 00 p.m.—Maurice Spitalny's Orchestra
7 30 p.m.—Cheerio
8 00 p.m.—March of Dimes
9 00 p.m.—So Goes the World.
9 30 p.m.—News (KJR)
9 45 p.m.—Trinity Choir (KJR)
10 00 p.m.—Paul Martin's Orchestra
10 30 p.m.—Gene Krupa's Orchestra

COLUMBIA NETWORK (KVI-KIRO-KFPY-KOIN-KNX KSL)

8 00 a.m.—West Coast Church of the Air
8 30 a.m.—Swedish Tabernacle (KIRO)
9 00 a.m.—Major Bowes Family
9 30 a.m.—Salt Lake City Tabernacle Choir
10 00 a.m.—Church of the Air
10 30 a.m.—Portraits in Pastel.
10 45 a.m.—Newscast (KIRO)
11 00 a.m.—Congregational Church, Rev L. W. Fifield (KIRO)
12 15 p.m.—Philharmonic Symphony Society
2 00 p.m.—Newscast (KIRO).
2 15 p.m.—Music in a Sentimental Mood
2 30 p.m.—Problem Clinic.
3 00 p.m.—Silver Theatre
3 30 p.m.—Gateway to Hollywood
4 00 p.m.—The People's Platform.
4 30 p.m.—Nordic Hour
5 00 p.m.—This Is New York
8 00 p.m.—Sunday Evening Hour.
7 00 p.m.—Robert Benchley
7 30 p.m.—To be announced.
7 45 p.m.—Newscast (KIRO).
8 00 p.m.—March of Dimes.
9 00 p.m.—Ben Bernie
10 00 p.m.—Dick Aurandt's Orchestra
10 15 p.m.—A Song at Evening.
10 45 p.m.—Newscast (KIRO)
11 00 p.m.—Starlight Serenade.
11 15 p.m.—Let's Waltz (KIRO).
11 45 p.m.—Prelude to Midnight.
12 00 m.n.—Concert Hour.

MUTUAL-DON LEE NETWORK
KOL, Seattle

8 00 a.m.—Russian Cathedral Choir.
8 15 a.m.—Christian Science Programme
8 30 a.m.—Raoul Nadeau, baritone
8 45 a.m.—Canary Chorus
9 00 a.m.—Johnson Negro Choir.
9 30 a.m.—The Lamplighter
10 00 a.m.—Sumner Prindle, pianist.
10 15 a.m.—The Mighty "I Am"
10 30 a.m.—Salute of the Nations.
11 00 a.m.—Sinfonietta
12 00 noon—On a Sunday Afternoon.
12 30 p.m.—News
12 45 p.m.—Tony Cabooch
1 00 p.m.—Benay Venuta's Variety
1 30 p.m.—Lutheran Hour
2 00 p.m.—Gypsy Music
2 30 p.m.—Rabbi Magnin
3 00 p.m.—Help Thy Neighbor.
3 30 p.m.—Show of the Week
4 00 p.m.—Bach Cantata Series
4 30 p.m.—George Hamilton's Orchestra
5 00 p.m.—American Forum of the Air
6 00 p.m.—Old-Fashioned Revival Hour
7 00 p.m.—Good Will Hour
8 00 p.m.—March of Dimes
9 00 p.m.—Newscast
9 15 p.m.—Frank and Archie
9.30 p.m.—Words and Music
10 00 p.m.—Drama
10 15 p.m.—Phil Harris' Orchestra
10 30 p.m.—Jimmy Grier's Orchestra
11 00 p.m.—Weather Report
11 01 p.m.—Ran Wilde's Orchestra.
11 30 p.m.—The Squires.
11 45 p.m.—Midnight Moods.

Monday's Programme

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (1150 Kcys).

8 00 a.m.—Morning Salute
8 15 a.m.—Breakfast News
8 30 a.m.—Musical Chronometer
9 00 a.m.—Outlook and Uplook
9 15 a.m.—Morning Classics.
9 30 a.m.—Financial Flashes.
9 45 a.m.—Waltz Time
10 00 a.m.—Morning Monitor.
10 15 a.m.—Rhythm on Record
10 30 a.m.—Gilbert and Sullivan Gems.
11 00 a.m.—Hit Parade
11 30 a.m.—1812 Overture.
11 45 a.m.—Jack Hilton's Orchestra.
12 00 noon—Concert Time
12 30 p.m.—Noon-Hour News
12 45 p.m.—Nelson Eddy, songs.
1 00 p.m.—Midday Melange
1 25 p.m.—World Bookman
1 30 p.m.—Afternoon Musicale.
2 00 p.m.—Concert Hour.
3 00 p.m.—Shep Field's Orchestra.
3 15 p.m.—Modern Vocals
3 30 p.m.—Ozzie Nelson's Orchestra.
3 45 p.m.—Range Rhythms.
4 00 p.m.—Famous Overtures.
4 30 p.m.—Tea Time Melodies.
5 00 p.m.—Monitor Comments.
5:15 p.m.—Yesterday's Hits.
5 30 p.m.—Request Hour.
6 00 p.m.—Radio Birthday Party.
6 30 p.m.—Music Lovers' Corner.
7 00 p.m.—Dinner Dance
7 30 p.m.—Candle Light Classics.
8 00 p.m.—Rare Old Rhythm Rascals.
8 30 p.m.—News Summary.

CJOR, Vancouver, B.C. (600 Kcys.)

8 00 a.m.—News.
8 15 a.m.—Music Orapia.
8 30 a.m.—Concert Miniature.
8 45 a.m.—Melody Time.
9 00 a.m.—Shut-In Programme
9 15 a.m.—Smilin' Ed McConnell.
9.30 a.m.—Gospel Singers.
9 45 a.m.—The Goldbergs.
10 00 a.m.—Stocks
10 05 a.m.—Popular Interlude.
10.15 a.m.—On the Mall.
10 30 a.m.—Good Morning, Neighbor.
11.00 a.m.—News
11 15 a.m.—Ballad Music
11 30 a.m.—Tropical Moods
12 00 noon—Sid Mullett, pianist.
12 15 p.m.—Rosario Bourdon
12 30 p.m.—News Flashes
12 45 p.m.—Voice of Experience
1.00 p.m.—Famous Voices.
1 15 p.m.—Ab Iline.
1 30 p.m.—Symphony Hour.
2:30 p.m.—Sue's Notebook.
3 00 p.m.—Kitty Keene
3 15 p.m.—Ma Perkins
3 30 p.m.—Pepper Young's Family.
3 45 p.m.—Vic and Sade.
4 00 p.m.—Concert Interlude.
4.15 p.m.—Easy Aces
4 30 p.m.—Musical Workshop
4 45 p.m.—Lombardo Time.
5 00 p.m.—Smilin Billy Blinkhorn.
5 15 p.m.—On With the Dance.
5 30 p.m.—Pelican Club
5 45 p.m.—Howie Wing, drama.
6 00 p.m.—Concert Hall.
6 30 p.m.—The Monitor
6 45 p.m.—Late Sports Review.
7 00 p.m.—News
7 15 p.m.—Classic Mosaic.
7 30 p.m.—Frank Skipper.
7 45 p.m.—Radio Rascals.
8 00 p.m.—News Flashes.
8 15 p.m.—Vox Pop
8 30 p.m.—Hockey Broadcast.
10 30 p.m.—News.
10 45 p.m.—Rhythm Wranglers
11.15 p.m.—Musical Cavalcade.

C.B.C. NETWORK

8 00 a.m.—Canadian Press News.
8 07 a.m.—The Melodic Interlude
8 15 a.m.—The Musical Teeter-Totter
8 30 a.m.—Morning Merry-Go-Round.
9 00 a.m.—Kelly's Washtub
9 15 a.m.—Four Showmen
9 30 a.m.—B.C. Schools Broadcast.
9 45 a.m.—The Toronto Trio.
10 00 a.m.—The Happy Gang
10 30 a.m.—Road of Life.
10 45 a.m.—The Romance of Dan and Sylvia
11 00 a.m.—Big Sister
11 15 a.m.—London Calling.
12 00 noon—Smilin Jack
12 07 p.m.—Tod Russe.
12 15 p.m.—Mid-day Musicale.
12 30 p.m.—Stocks
12 35 p.m.—Press News.
12 45 p.m.—Midday Musicale
1 00 p.m.—Club Matinee
1 25 p.m.—Neville Chamberlain, talk.
2 00 p.m.—Music in the Modern Manner
2 15 p.m.—Songs
2 30 p.m.—Pianograms.
2 45 p.m.—Closing Stocks
3 00 p.m.—Bob Armstrong's Orchestra.
3 15 p.m.—Patricia Gilmore, songs.
3 30 p.m.—Music From the Maritimes.
4 00 p.m.—Luigi Romanelli's Orchestra
4 15 p.m.—Major Bill
4 30 p.m.—Musical Voyage.
4 45 p.m.—My Job, interview.
5 00 p.m.—C'est Paree
5.30 p.m.—Geoffrey Waddington Conducts
6 00 p.m.—Radio Theatre
7 00 p.m.—Symphony Orchestra.
7 45 p.m.—Random Rhythm.
7 30 p.m.—Prime Minister Mackenzie King, speaker
8 00 p.m.—The News
8 15 p.m.—The Tudor Quartette
8 30 p.m.—Mart Kenney's Orchestra.
9 00 p.m.—The Green Door
9 30 p.m.—The Cariboo Miner.
9 45 p.m.—The News
10 00 p.m.—Concert Trio
10 30 p.m.—Organ Recital.

N.B.C.-KPO RED NETWORK (KHQ-KOW-KFI-KPO-KOMO)

8 00 a.m.—Morning Reveries (KOMO).
8 15 a.m.—Sunshine Club (KOMO)
8 30 a.m.—Capt. Dobbsie
9 00 a.m.—Heart of Julia Blake (KOMO)
9 15 a.m.—The O'Neills.
9 30 a.m.—Opportunity.
9 45 a.m.—Home Service Programme.
10 00 a.m.—John's Other Wife.
10 15 a.m.—Just Plain Bill
10 30 a.m.—Dangerous Roads.
10 45 a.m.—Dr. Kate
11 00 a.m.—Betty and Bob
11 15 a.m.—A Grimm's Daughter
11 30 a.m.—Valiant Lady
11 45 a.m.—Hymns of All Churches.
12 00 noon—Mary Marlin.
12 15 p.m.—Ma Perkins
12 30 p.m.—Pepper Young's Family.
12 45 p.m.—Guiding Light
1 00 p.m.—Backstage Wife.
1 15 p.m.—Stella Dallas
1 30 p.m.—Vic and Sade.
1 45 p.m.—Girl Alone
2 00 p.m.—Houseboat Hannah.
2 15 p.m.—Carl Kalash.
2 30 p.m.—Cadets Quartette
2 45 p.m.—Lilyan Cornell, songs
3 00 p.m.—Studio Party
3 15 p.m.—I Love a Mystery.
3 25 p.m.—Press News.
3 30 p.m.—Woman's Magazine of the Air.
4 00 p.m.—Biltmore Orchestra.
4 15 p.m.—Paul Carson, organ.
4 30 p.m.—Sanislo (KOMO).
4 45 p.m.—Benjamin Franklin Orchestra.
5 00 p.m.—Carson Robinson and His Buckaroos
5 30 p.m.—Those We Love.
6 00 p.m.—Tropical Moods.
6 15 p.m.—George Hall
6 30 p.m.—Eddie Duchin's Orchestra.
7 00 p.m.—Contented Programme
7 30 p.m.—Al Pearce and His Gang.
8 00 p.m.—Amos and Andy.
8 15 p.m.—Edwin C. Hill.
8 30 p.m.—Voice of Firestone.
9 00 p.m.—Hawthorne House
9 30 p.m.—The Battle of the Sexes
10 00 p.m.—News Flashes
10 15 p.m.—Sports Graphic
10 30 p.m.—Joseph Sudy's Orchestra.
11 00 p.m.—Paul Martin's Orchestra
11.30 p.m.—Beau Arts Trio.

N.B.C.-KGO BLUE NETWORK (KOO-KJR-KEX-KECA-KGA)

9 00 a.m.—Viennese Ensemble.
9 30 a.m.—Vagabonds.
6 45 a.m.—Originalities.
9.00 a.m.—Dorothy Dreslin, songs.
9:15 a.m.—News Reporter (KJR).
9 30 a.m.—National Farm and Home Hour.
10:15 a.m.—Agriculture Today.
10 30 a.m.—Cecil Solly (KJR).
10 40 a.m.—Judy and Danny.
11:00 a.m.—Adventures in Reading.
11:30 a.m.—Alma Kitchell.
11.45 a.m.—Manhattan Melodies.
12 00 noon—Department of Agriculture.
12:15 p.m.—Cowboy Joe.
12 30 p.m.—News (KJR).
12 45 a.m.—Between the Book Ends.
1 00 p.m.—Club Matinee.
2 00 p.m.—Nathaniel Shilkret.
2.15 p.m.—The Jive Five.
2 30 p.m.—Landt Trio
2 45 p.m.—Vaughn De Leath, singer.
3 00 p.m.—Bob Armstrong's Orchestra.
3:15 p.m.—Patricia Gilmore.
3 30 p.m.—Piccadilly Orchestra.
3 45 p.m.—To be advised.
4 00 p.m.—Eddie Swarthout's Orchestra.
4 30 p.m.—No Talent Wanted.
4 45 p.m.—Science on the March.
5 00 p.m.—John Teal.
5 15 p.m.—President's Birthday Ball.
5 30 p.m.—Musical Vignettes.
6 00 p.m.—Hour of Charm
6 30 p.m.—News Reporter (KJR).
7 00 p.m.—True or False.
7:30 p.m.—National Radio Forum.
8 00 p.m.—Washington Radio Forum.
8 15 p.m.—Every Man a King.
9 00 p.m.—News Reporter (KJR).
9 15 p.m.—Mysteries of Life.
9.30 p.m.—Ricardo's Rhapsodies.
10 00 p.m.—Shep Field's Orchestra.
10.30 p.m.—Southern Tavern Orchestra.
11.00 p.m.—Paul Carson, organist.

COLUMBIA NETWORK (KVI-KIRO-KFPY-KOIN-KNX-KSL)

8 00 a.m.—Quarter-Hour Glass.
8 15 a.m.—Eton Boys.
8 30 a.m.—Newsreel (KIRO).
8 45 a.m.—Weather Forecast (KIRO).
9 00 a.m.—Connie Worth.
9 15 a.m.—Her Honor, Nancy James.
9 30 a.m.—Romance of Helen Trent.
9 45 a.m.—Our Gal Sunday
10 00 a.m.—The Goldbergs
10 15 a.m.—Life Can Be Beautiful.
10 30 a.m.—Tonic Tunes.
10 45 a.m.—Feminine Forum (KIRO)
11 00 a.m.—Big Sister
11 15 a.m.—Aunt Jenny's Stories
11.30 a.m.—American School of the Air.
12 00 noon—News at Noon (KIRO).
12 15 p.m.—Singin Sam
12 30 p.m.—Scattergood Baines.
12 45 p.m.—Fletcher Wiley
1 00 p.m.—Pretty Kitty Kelly.
1 15 p.m.—Myrt and Marge
1 30 p.m.—Hilltop House.
1 45 p.m.—Stepmother.
2 00 p.m.—Music of the Restoration.
2 15 p.m.—Let's Pretend
2 45 p.m.—Lost and Found.
3 00 p.m.—News.
3 05 p.m.—Third Avenue Parade.
3 30 p.m.—"Today."
3 45 p.m.—Maury Rider.
4 00 p.m.—County Seat.
4 15 p.m.—Job Finder.
4 30 p.m.—Seattle P.T.A.
4 45 p.m.—Modern Science Series.
5 00 p.m.—His and Encores.
5 15 p.m.—Howie Wing
5 30 p.m.—Headlines on Parade.
5 45 p.m.—Howard Costigan.
6 00 p.m.—Radio Theatre.
7 00 p.m.—Guy Lombardo's Orchestra
7 30 p.m.—Eddie Cantor
8 00 p.m.—The People's Vote, Sam Hays
8 15 p.m.—Lum and Abner
8 30 p.m.—Pick and Pat, with Edward Roecker, baritone
9 00 p.m.—Cavalcade of America.
9 30 p.m.—Sophie Tucker
9 45 p.m.—Seattle Forum (KIRO).
10 15 p.m.—Nightcap Yarns
10 30 p.m.—Night Extra (KIRO).
11 00 p.m.—Gaslight Harmonies.
11 15 p.m.—Echoes of Stage and Screen.
11 45 p.m.—Prelude to Midnight.
12 00 p.m.—Concert Hour.
1 00 a.m.—Night Owls.

MUTUAL-DON LEE NETWORK (KOL, Seattle)

8 00 a.m.—Eight o'Clock Clipper.
8 30 a.m.—Haven of Rest
9 00 a.m.—Katz on the Keys.
9 15 a.m.—Home Town
9 30 a.m.—News Flashes
9 45 a.m.—Patty Jean Health Club.
10 00 a.m.—Happy Gang
10 15 a.m.—George Hinkel, baritone.
10 45 a.m.—Voice of Experience
11 00 a.m.—Nation's School of the Air
11 30 a.m.—Pauline Alpert, piano.
11 45 a.m.—Muse and Music
12 00 noon—News Flashes
12.15 a.m.—Concert Hall
12 30 p.m.—The Cats and the Fiddle
12 45 p.m.—Bob Young
1 00 p.m.—Monitor Views the News.
1 45 p.m.—Book a Week.
2 00 p.m.—Patty Jean Health Club
2 15 p.m.—Johnson Family.
2 30 p.m.—Three Graces.
2 45 p.m.—Piano Mood.
3 00 p.m.—Feminine Fancies.
3 45 p.m.—Clinic of the Air.
4 00 p.m.—Fulton Lewis, Jr
4 15 p.m.—News.
5 00 p.m.—Studies in Contrasts.
5 30 p.m.—Dick Tracy
5.45 p.m.—Little Orphan Annie
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6 30 p.m.—News Flashes.
6 45 p.m.—Frank Bull
7 00 p.m.—Phantom Pilot.
7 15 p.m.—Cononaders
7 30 p.m.—The Lone Ranger
8 00 p.m.—Don Isham Presents.
8 30 p.m.—Ruth Harris, songs
8 45 p.m.—Political News Hunt
9 00 p.m.—Newspaper of the Air.
9 15 p.m.—Frank and Archie
9.30 p.m.—Jan Garber's Orchestra.
10.00 p.m.—Devil's Scrapbook
10 30 p.m.—Jose Manzanero's Tango Orch
11 00 p.m.—Shep Field's Orchestra.
11 15 p.m.—Ran Wild's Orchestra.
11 30 p.m.—Skinnay Ennis Orchestra.
11 45 p.m.—Midnight Matinee.

SENTENCE COMMUTED

OTTAWA, Jan. 21 (CP).—Raymond Vaudreuil, scheduled to be hanged at Winnipeg next Tuesday for murder, has had his death sentence commuted to life imprisonment, the Department of the Secretary of State announced today. Vaudreuil was convicted of the murder of Lloyd Higgins last June 16.

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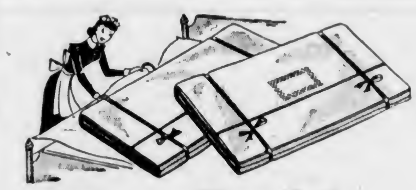

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Foresters Hold Joint Installation

NANAIMO, Jan. 21.—A double installation of officers took place at Court Progress and Court Nanaimo in the Forresters' Hall on Friday, following the initiation of a large class. The installing officer was Llewelyn Williams, P.D.C.R., assisted by Mrs. L. H. Williams, P.C.R., as installing woodward.

Installations were: C.C.R., J. Andrews; C.R., A. Green; Sc. R., E. Webster; treasurer, D. Ross; secretary, J. R. Crellin; R. Sec., J. D. Tippett; S.W., E. Stolzenberg; J.W., C. Menham; J.B., H. Defrees; J.B., J. E. Muir.

Ladies installed, Court Progress: Past chief ranger, Mrs. L. H. Williams; worthy chief ranger, Mrs. M. McGlenen; worthy sub-chief ranger, Mrs. M. McRoberts; S.W., Mrs. L. Dixon; J.W., Mrs. E. Defries; S.B., Mrs. A. Moriez; J.B., Mrs. G. Denholm; captain, Mrs. B. Beaumont; pianist, Mrs. M. Wood.

Many visitors from Island points were present, and following the installation services, supper was served, after which dancing was enjoyed.

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NO. 35—EIGHTY-FIRST YEAR — VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, SUNDAY, JANUARY 22, 1939

ENGLISH RUGGERS BLANK WALES FIFTEEN, 3-0

Middlesbrough Is Put Out of Series By Sunderland, 2-0

Record Home Ground Crowd of 51,000 Surprised By Shutout Win of Visitors in English Cup Play—Everton, Favorites, Win in Easy Manner—Chelmsford Is Beaten

LONDON, Jan. 21 (CP).—Eleven football teams passed successfully into the fifth round of the English Football Cup competition today. Draws were registered in five of the fourth-round contests, necessitating replays this week.

Favorites came through with outstanding victories and only a few of the results could be recorded as definite upsets. Rain and fog kept attendances down but 60,000 saw Chelsea defeat Fulham, 3-0, in a London Derby at Stamford Bridge while a ground record was established at Middlesbrough, where Sunderland surprised a crowd of 51,000 by blanking the home team, 2-0.

Gallant Chelmsford City, conqueror of Southampton in the previous round, proved no match for Birmingham of the First Division. The Southern League entry succumbed, 6-0, at St. Andrews.

EASY TRIUMPH

Everton, 7-1 favorite to win the cup, ran riot against Doncaster Rovers to chalk up an 8-0 victory. Tommy Lawton, international centre-forward, rammed home four goals for the toffee-makers, who led, 3-0, at half time.

No walk-over was expected at Wolverhampton, where the Wanderers met Leicester City, another major league squad. But the Wolves triumphed, 5-1.

Westcott and Maguire each scored two goals, Dorsett getting the fifth. Bowers reduced the margin for Leicester.

There was no mistaking Liverpool's superiority over Stockport County, the Third Division squad losing, 5-1, while one of the most meritorious victories went to the credit of Sheffield United, who lacked the services of Jackson, right half, for most of the game. The Yorkshiremen trimmed Manchester City, 2-0, goals being notched by Pickering and Dodds.

BATTLE TO DRAW

Another London contest saw West Ham United and Tottenham Hotspurs battle to a 3-3 draw. Morrison and Sargent tallied for the Spurs before the interval, Macaulay reducing the margin from a penalty. Duncan increased Tottenham's lead in the second half but West Ham retaliated vigorously, Foxall scoring two goals in a few minutes shortly before the close.

Millwall, of the Second Division, drew with the strong Grimsby Town eleven at Newcross in a game packed with thrills. McLeod drew first blood for the Londoners, who held the lead at half time. The same player sent his team further ahead in the second period in the last eight minutes. Home registered twice to force a replay at Grimsby.

The Chelsea - Fulham encounter was unusual in that the Pensioners goals were all headed in. The teams played a scoreless first half but Fulham faded after the change of ends when Hanson, Paine and Argue gave Chelsea victory.

ANOTHER DEADLOCK

Supporters from Chester showered Sheffield Wednesday's ground with cushions when their heroes held the powerful Wednesday team to a 1-1 draw in one of the best performances of the day. The Third Division squad was behind, 1-0, at the interval but Sanders knotted the count soon after the change of ends.

Preston North End, the cupholder, deserved its 2-0 victory over the visiting Aston Villa squad. The Lancastrians wore down their opponents whose forwards showed great skill on the muddy ground. White scored a goal in each half, the first from a penalty.

CUP GAMES

Notts County 0, Walsall 0.
Portsmouth 2, West Bromwich Albion 0.
Sheffield Wednesday 1, Chester 1.
Middlesbrough 0, Sunderland 2.
Liverpool 5, Stocport County 1.
County. 1.
Everton 8, Doncaster Rovers 0.
Blackburn Rovers 4, Southend United 2.
Birmingham 6, Chelmsford 0.
Millwall 2, Grimsby Town 2.
Leeds United 2, Huddersfield Town 4.
Cardiff City 0, Newcastle U. 0.
Preston North End 2, Aston Villa 0.
Chelsea 3, Fulham 0.
West Ham United 3, Tottenham Hotspurs 3.
Sheffield United 2, Manchester City 0.
Wolverhampton Wanderers 5, Leicester City 1.

LEAGUE GAMES

Division I

Manchester United 0, Stoke City 1.
Arsenal 2, Charlton Athletic 0.

Division II

Bury 5, Tranmere Rovers 0.
Luton Town 3, Plymouth Argle 4.
Notts Forest-Southampton (postponed).

Division III—Southern Section

Bournemouth 4, Queens Park Rangers 2.
Bristol Rovers 4, Exeter City 1.
Clapton Orient 2, Aldershot 0.
Ipswich Town 2, Northampton Town 0.
Port Vale 1, Watford 2.
Swindon Town 2, Crystal Palace 2.
Torquay United 3, Bristol City 1.
Reading 0, Newport County 1.

Division III—Northern Section

Barrow 1, Barnsley 2.
Crewe Alexandra 7, Carlisle U. 1.
Halifax Town 2, York City 1.
Hull City 4, Lincoln City 2.
New Brighton 0, Oldham Athletic 1.
Rochdale 0, Wrexham 0.
Rotherham United 2, Gateshead 2.
Southport 4, Darlington 1.

LANE SCORES CLUB VICTORY

Wins Badminton Title at the Willows—Miss Murdock Victorious

George Lane, holder of the city championship, stroked his way to another title last night on the Willows courts when he defeated Roy Hurdle in the men's final of the Victoria Badminton Club in straight sets, 15-8, 15-10. In the only semi-final played during the evening, Lane eliminated Don Fish by scores of 15-6, 15-10. In the women's final, Miss Murdock trimmed Miss M. Rice-Jones, 11-4, 11-4.

Lane figured in his second title of the tournament when he teamed up with Hurdle to defeat Fish and Frank Tyrrell in the men's doubles, 15-10, 15-7. Miss M. Rice-Jones and Miss Gilman took the women's double diadem by scoring a three-set victory over Miss Peden and Miss Boyer. The winners lost the first set at 11-15 but came back to take the next by a similar score and then the final session at 15-7. The mixed doubles honors went to Miss Baker and Lane, who decisioned Miss M. Rice-Jones and Evans, 15-4, 15-10.

Various flight results follow:

Men's Singles—E. Grant won from G. Gray, 15-9, 15-5.

Men's Doubles—Dalzell and Leighton won from Salmon and Gray, 17-14, 15-11.

Women's Doubles—Mrs. Pritichard and Miss M. Rice-Jones won from Miss Styan and Mrs. Goodwin, 18-14, 15-5.

Mixed Doubles—Miss Boyer and Skillings won from Miss Peden and Hoadley, 15-5, 15-3.

HOCKEY STANDINGS

The standings of teams in the National Hockey League, including last night's game, follow:

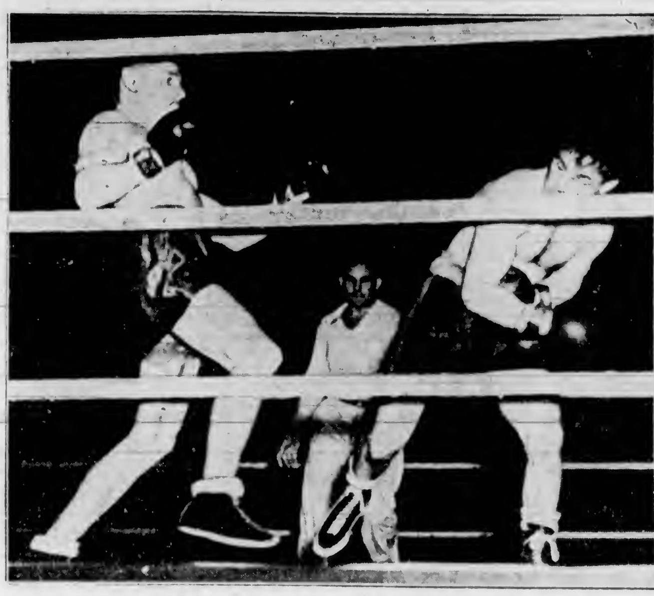
	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	P.
Boston	18	7	1	68	32	37
Rangers	15	7	3	67	45	33
Americans	12	8	6	66	66	30
Toronto	11	13	4	63	57	26
Chicago	9	14	4	55	69	22
Detroit	9	14	4	57	70	22
Canadiens	6	16	6	54	86	18

Tonight's games:
Canadiens at Rangers.
Americans at Chicago.
Boston at Detroit.

COAST LEAGUE

	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	P.
Portland	19	5	5	100	62	43
Seattle	16	10	6	109	96	38
Vancouver	8	16	6	78	102	22
Spokane	6	18	5	83	90	17

Lefty Gwynne Scores Surprise Win



A cameraman can always be assured of plenty of action at the fights. Proof of this may be found in the above photograph, where you get a glimpse of Lefty Gwynne (left) making himself ready for a rush at Johnny Gaudes, Canadian bantamweight champion. Gwynne pulled somewhat of a surprise on the wise lads when he whipped the tiny titleholder at Toronto. Referee Osborne is seen in the background.

Hearts Score 14-2 Cup-Tie Victory in First Round Match

Powerful First Division Club Shows No Mercy Toward Penicuik Athletic—East Fife, Last Season's Winners, Eliminated by Montrose—Rangers Are Hard Pressed

GLASGOW, Jan. 21 (CP).—East Fife's precedent-setting path in the Scottish Football Cup competition last year stunned the soccer world and provided the main off-season topic in this country's sporting circles. This year the club wasn't so fortunate.

In the opening game of the sudden-death competition today, the Methel Park squad performed before home-town crowds and bowed, 2-1, to Montrose, near the bottom of the Second Division. The cupholders fought hard but failed to click around the Montrose goal-mouth.

The twenty-seven games produced many high scores with Hearts, Edinburgh's powerful eleven, leading the way. They showed no mercy to Penicuik Athletic, winning, 14-2. Celtic also demonstrated scoring power, chalking up an 8-3 verdict over Burnt Island.

Five of the twenty First Division clubs fell by the wayside. Albion Rovers lost, 1-0, to Aberdeen; Ayr United went under, 2-1, to Alloa, St. Johnstone was defeated, 2-0, by Clyde; Arbroath was edged out, 5-4, by Queen of South, and Raith Rovers were eliminated, 1-0, by Glasgow Rangers.

The latter game was one of the most exciting of the day and attracted 21,000 persons, largest crowd. The Rovers held the league-leading Light Blues in check for most of the contest but faded near the end when Alec Venters, highest scorer in big-time football, scored near the end.

SMALL ATTENDANCE

Said to be one of the greatest crowd-pleasing clubs in football, Celtic was away to Burnt Island and performed before a 1,400 crowd. The Glasgow team, a potential threat for Scottish League honors earlier in the season, pulled out in front three times and on each occasion the minor-league squad pulled on even terms.

The Celts pressed hard in the final forty-five minutes and pulled into a commanding lead. McDonald led sharpshooters with three Crum netting twice. Delaney, Murphy and Waters each scored one for Celts, while Aitken paced Burnt Island goal-getters with two. Birrell added the third.

One of the major surprises of the day was supplied by Alloa. Second Division club, over Ayr. Gemmell scored the only goal of the first half for Ayr and Moore equalized early in the second half. Gillespie netted the winning goal near the end.

Aberdeen, pre-game favorite, had to fight hard to down Albion, 1-0. Strauss netted after a scoreless first half.

In other matches, Motherwell triumphed, 8-1, over Huntley; Falkirk blanked Brechin City, 5-0; Hibernians shut out Forfar Athletic, 3-0. An unexpected result was chalked up at Blairgowrie, where the local club defeated Dumbarton, 3-2. Kilmarnock, last year's cup finalist, walloped Berwick Rangers, 6-1.

Huntley 1, Motherwell 8.
Edinburgh City 3, Stranraer 3.
Kilmarnock 6, Berwick Rangers 1.
Falkirk 5, Brechin City 0.
Clyde 2, St. Johnstone 0.
Leith Athletic 0, Airdrieonians 2.
Raith Rovers 0, Glasgow Rangers 1.
Falkirk Amateurs 2, Elgin City 4.
Forfar Athletic 0, Hibernians 3.
Blairgowrie 3, Dumbarton 2.
King's Park 5, Babcock and Wilcox 5.
Alloa 2, Ayr United 1.
Queen's Park 4, St Cuthbert Wanderers 1.
Burntisland 3, Celtic 8.
St. Mirren 7, East Stirling 0.
Boness 1, Hamilton Academicals 4.
Dundee 2, St. Bernards 0.
Duns 4, Girvan 1.
Dundee United 2, Stenhousemuir 0.
East Fife 1, Montrose 2.
Cowdenbeath 3, Partick Thistle 3.
Queen of South 5, Arbroath 4.
Aberdeen 1, Albion Rovers 0.
Nithsdale Wanderers 5, Buckle Thistle 5.
Dunfermline Athletic 5, Morton 2.
Third Lanark 8, Glachnacuddin 2.
Heart of Midlothian 14, Penicuik Athletic 2.

Parlor Show Will Be Held by City Club February 4

THE Victoria City Kennel Club will hold an afternoon and evening parlor show in the Shrine Hall on Saturday, February 4, it was announced yesterday by officials of the association. The afternoon will be taken up by the children, and Bob Cross will do the judging, while the main event is carded in the evening, with P. J. Brennan, of New Westminster, officiating. A trophy has been donated by J. F. O. Wood, of Quandalla Kennels, for anyone who is not a member of any dog club. Miss Biffett also has given a trophy, and it will go to the owner of the dog which has never before won a first prize. Further particulars may be had by telephoning E 2536.

ENGLISH RUGBY

LONDON, Jan. 21 (CP).—English Rugby Union matches played today resulted as follows:

Bedford 11, Gloucester 6.
Bristol 0, Llanelly 0.
Richmond 8, Cambridge University 14.
Edinburgh Academicals 19, Bradford 6.
Leicester 14, Nuneaton 3.
Liverpool 3, Moseley 11.
Manchester 27, Birkenhead Park 2.
Northampton 11, Royal Air Force 0.
Plymouth Albion 11, Newport 6.
Old Leysians 10, Guy's Hospital 3.
Exeter 14, Bridgewater Albion 0.
Headingley 13, Lansdowne 0.
Sale 6, Halifax 5.
Watsonians 21, Jedforest 3.

GLOBE TROTTERS IN

VANCOUVER, Jan. 21 (CP).—Harlem Globe Trotters, touring colored basketball team, defeated Munros of Vancouver, 51-32, tonight in the last of three exhibition games here.

The touring professionals counted eighteen points in the first four minutes of play, then took things easy through the rest of the game.

Ted Strong counted thirteen, and Rock Anderson, ten points, for the colored hoopsters, while Arnie Bumstead was high for Munros, with eight.

TEDEN'S SMART TRY IN SECOND SESSION DECIDES GREAT GAME

Crashes Over Welshmen's Line Midway Through Final Half for Lone Score of International Match—Kick for Extra Points Hits the Upright—65,000 in Attendance

TWICKENHAM, England, Jan 21 (CP).—Humbling Wales for the twenty-sixth time since the countries first met in 1880, England got away to a good start in the current international Rugby tournament, edging out a 3-0 decision in a grueling contest here today.

Rugged forward play was a feature of the match played before 65,000 excited rugger enthusiasts in drizzling rain and mist. At times spectators found it hard to follow the play through the mist, and players found the greasy ball difficult to handle.

Although England kept the visitors penned in their own territory most of the first half, it was not until midway through the second period that I. E. Teden plunged over in the corner for the only score of the game. The Richmond forward, who was playing in his first international match, followed up a short punt to gain the try. J. Heaton, Waterloo three-quarter, made a grand effort to convert, the ball striking the upright.

NOT SINCE 1933

Despite the inspiration and brilliance of Wilfred Wooller, Cardiff centre three-quarter, the Welshmen failed to dispel the Twickenham bogey. They have not won there since 1933. In some respects they were unfortunate, splendid defence work deserving a better reward.

Frequently the Welsh three-quarters attacked hotly, but lost good positions repeatedly by failing to get the ball back from set scrums. Vivian Jenkins' long touch-finders were a feature of the visitors' defence, which was deadly in tackling.

England's forwards played a grand game, and it was chiefly their efforts that put the home team on top. R. M. Marshall, of Oxford University, was outstanding. He engineered several rushes that were only nullified by the formidable Welsh defence.

Last year at Cardiff, Wales won 14-8. In the long line of matches, the Welshmen have won nineteen times and six games ended in stalemates.

FIRST HALF

Heaton kicked off for England. Wales attacked after a movement by the English three-quarters broke down, but Freakes, at fullback, cleared and put Heaton in possession. The Waterloo centre found touch in Welsh territory.

England's back division combined well, and helped by a robust set of forwards the game remained in the Welsh "twenty-five" for a spell. The home forwards heeled well in the majority of the scrums, but the three-quarters found the greasy ball hard to handle.

Play went into the English half only three times in the first twenty minutes. Back on the Welsh line Wilfred Wooller and W. H. Davies tackled fiercely, breaking up several strong efforts by their opponents.

Eventually Wooller broke through and his dash acted like a tonic on the beleaguered Welshmen. The Cardiff player broke through and when he kicked ahead Freakes beat Williams by inches in a dash for the ball. Both dived for the ball, which evaded them, but Heaton rushed up and saved the situation. From this point Wales attacked hotly and the game developed into a grim struggle.

SECOND HALF

Mist made it difficult to follow the game in the second half. After a penalty kick England was the first to threaten dangerously. Marshall got possession in the loose and traveled for the line at a surprising pace. He was pulled down by Idwal Davies.

The Welsh carried four scrums in a row, but liveliness on the part of the English forwards offset the advantage. At this stage the pace was terrific and excitement intense as the battle waged first in one side's favor and then the other.

The home players hammered away at the Welsh line, but the visitors attacked strongly for a brief spell, Freakes repulsing them on two occasions.

Marshall, outstanding among the English forwards, led a strong rush and Teden followed up one of his short punts to score in the corner. Heaton failed with the difficult kick.

Shortly afterwards Heaton made a good attempt to drop a goal from twenty-five yards out, his kick going just wide of the post. Towards the end Idwal Davies and Wooller tried desperately to equalize, but the English defence prevailed.

The teams:

England—Fullback, H. D. Freakes (Oxford University); three-quarters, R. H. Guest (Liverpool University), J. Heaton (Waterloo), G. E. Hancock (Birkenhead Park), R. S. L. Carr (Old Cranleighans); halfbacks, P. Cooke (Richmond), J. Walker (Royal Air Force); forwards, R. E. Prescott (Harlequins), H. B. Toft (Waterloo), I. E. Teden (Richmond), T. F. Huskisson (Old Merchant Taylors), H. Wheatcly (Coventry), J. T. W. Berry (Leicester), R. M. Marshall (Oxford University), J. K. Watkins (Navy).

Wales—Fullback, V. G. J. Jenkins (London Welsh); three-quarters, S. Williams (Aberavon), W. Wooller (Cardiff), J. I. Davies (Swansea), F. J. V. Ford (Harlequins); halfbacks, H. Tanner, W. T. H. Davies (Swansea); forwards, W. J. Travers (Newport), E. Morgan (Swansea), W. E. N. Davies (Cardiff), F. L. Morgan (Llanelly), E. Watkins (Cardiff), W. Vickery (Aberavon), A. R. Taylor (Cross Keys), C. Challoner (Neath).

SWEET NANCY HEADS FIELD IN HANDICAP

Norman Church's Horse Winner of $10,000 Event in South

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 21 (AP).—Norman Church's Sweet Nancy won the $10,000 Santa Susana Stakes over the seven-furlong distance at Santa Anita today, with Ciencia second and Morning Breeze third in the feature event for three-year-old fillies.

Splashing over the rain-drenched strip, the sprightly Church entry was timed in 1:25.3. Fourteen fillies accepted the issue.

Sweet Nancy paid $19.20, $7.20 and $4.60. Ciencia paid $3.80 and $3, and Morning Breeze $3.60.

Jockey Johnny Longden kept Sweet Nancy well in hand and made his move leaving the back stretch. The daughter of Gallant Sir quickly responded, and took the lead soon after and won easily by seven lengths.

A total of $90,301 was wagered on the race, biggest event for fillies on Santa Anita's Winter programme.

Results follow:

FIRST RACE—One mile
Our Dream (Fallon) ... $55.20 $29.40 $10.60
Arcadian (Stevenson) ... 10.60 4.80
Osculate (Richards) ... 2.80
Time, 1.41 2-5. Also ran: Fine Airs, Reset, Irish Broom, Westcan, Cotlo Beth, Warwil, Fairy Hall, Home Burning, Ready Teddy.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs
Ily Camp (Neves) ... $4.40 $3.40 $2.60
Pug Knows (Richards) ... 4.40 3.20
Shadow Pass (Wall) ... 3.80
Time 1.13 3-5. Also ran: Malinda, Jinadist, Sweet Leilani, Timber Cat, Betty War, Shasta Plucky, Haunted House, Dusty Heels.

THIRD RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Headhunter (Polk) ... $8.60 $4.20 $4.00
Paper Sun (Adair) ... 6.40 4.80
Ste Louise (Wall) ... 11.00
Time, 1.47 4-5. Also ran: Amneris, Tea Hound, Paradun, Baltimore Boy, Bels Beau, Tuleby, Mullet, Melody Boots, Jaconut.

FOURTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Cayenne (Gray) ... $22.80 $8.20 $3.40
Sky Glare (Vantassel) ... 3.40 2.40
Hilsinger (Longden) ... 2.40
Time, 1.48 1-5. Also ran: Cannibal, Sir Rideway, Bon Amour.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs
Time Flight (Adams) ... $8.00 $4.80 $3.40
Woodsaw (McCombs) ... 7.60 4.40
Our Carolyne (Vantassel) ... 2.80
Time 1.12. Also ran: Drift Airns, Open Door, Dressy, Commendable, Bolane, Polvos Prince.

SIXTH RACE—Seven furlongs
Sweet Nancy (Longden) ... $19.20 $7.20 $4.60
Ciencia (McCombs) ... 3.80 3.00
Morning Breeze (Tucker) ... 3.60
Time 1.25 3-5. Also ran: Sweet Patrice, Dear Diary, Alice Faye, Valley Lass, Airacuda, Smart Crack, Grey Nurse, Lady Watch, Galley Slave, Equivalent, Flying Bonny.

SEVENTH RACE—One mile
Murph (Wall) ... $17.80 $8.80 $4.80
Winning Chance (Stevenson) ... 5.80 3.80
Wesoway (Miller) ... 12.40
Time, 1.40. Also ran: Vicor, Upper Berth, Palmar, John Francis, Ualino, Spring Flood, Papenie, Monsweep.

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and one-half
Beaford (Biler) ... $9.00 $4.80 $3.60
Golden Nut (Reynolds) ... 7.00 3.00
Standard Time (Neves) ... 5.80
Time, 2.38 2-5. Also ran: Joe Sam, Handmade, Hadtobe, British Tan, Mooney Brook, Renaih Began, Dissent.

Soccer Activities

A special workout of the Victoria United football team will be held Tuesday evening at the Royal Athletic Park at 7 o'clock. All members are asked to turn out.

Local Sport Results At a Glance

RUGBY

Barnard Cup
Oak Bay Wanderers 14, Canadian Scottish 0.

Exhibition Match
J.B.A.A. 21, Garrison 6.

Heyland Cup
Oak Bay Wanderers 19, Canadian Scottish 0.
Navy 3, Victoria College 0.

FOOTBALL

First Division
Esquimalt 2, Victoria City 2.
Garrison 2, Saanich Thistles 0.

Intermediate League
Young Liberals 7, Navy 0.
Camerons 3, Cooperage 0.

Merchants' League
Navy 7, Mount Tolmie 1.
Young Conservatives 1, Admirals 1.

BASKETBALL
Alpine Dairy (Seattle) 23, Dominoes (Victoria) 26.
Ramblers 48, Pirates 17.
Y.M.C.A. 34, St. Louis College 22.

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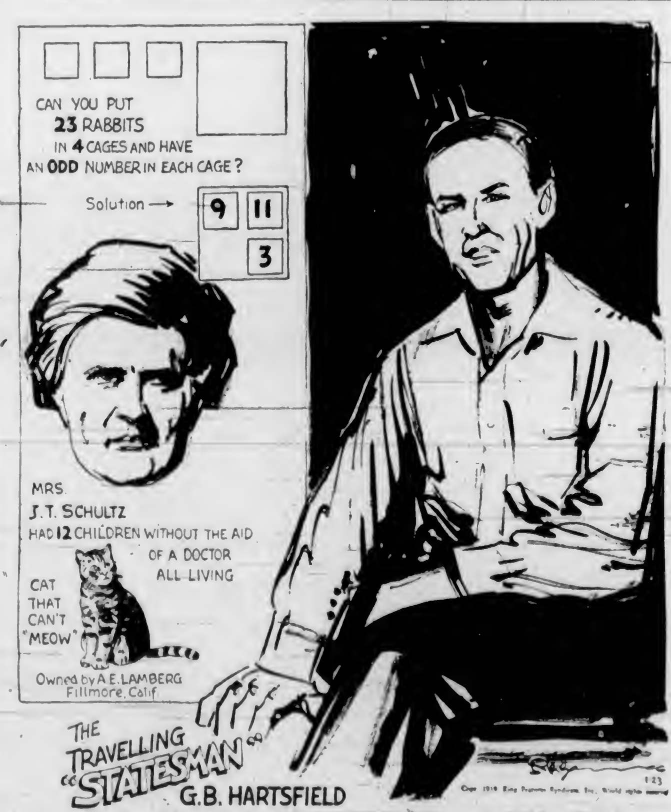

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ENGLISH CRICKET XI HAS CHANCE FOR VICTORY

South Africa Bats Up 73 Runs for One In Second Innings

Springboks Score Only 103 in First Stand at Wicket Against Mother Country's 469, Declared, for Four—Edward Paynter Hits Up 243 Runs After Grand Display

DURBAN, South Africa, Jan. 21 (CP). — Walter Hammond received congratulations today on a gamble that proved successful and gave England a great advantage in the third cricket test match against South Africa.

The English captain declared the touring team's innings closed before the lunch interval today with a total of 469 runs for four wickets and had the satisfaction of seeing the Springboks dismissed in three hours for 103 runs. Returning to the wickets, the South Africans improved in their second innings and when play closed had obtained 73 for one wicket.

With two days left for play the English cricketers now have a splendid opportunity to force a decision for the first time in the current five-game series. The first two contests at Johannesburg and Capetown were drawn.

DOUBLE CENTURY

Eleven thousand spectators saw Edward Paynter hit up a double century for England — his third three-figure score in the series to date. The veteran Lancashire left-hander compiled 243 runs in five hours, thirty-three minutes at the wickets, and hit twenty-five fours.

During the course of his innings he became the first member of the touring team to reach 1,000 runs for the tour and his total was the highest individual score in the history of Anglo-South African tests. The previous mark was 212, set by Jack Hobbs, of Surrey, at Lord's, in 1929.

Apart from his brilliant leadership, Hammond starred at bat and in the field. He carried his overnight score from 99 to 120 before he was caught by Bruce Mitchell off N. Gordon. In an innings marked by fine drives and leg shots, he hit sixteen fours. Fielding at his usual position in the slips Hammond caught three men. In his dismissal of Dudley Nourse, he was forced to juggle a fast snick that kept low.

WEATHER DULL

The weather was dull and threatening when South Africa went to bat on a pitch that gave some slight assistance to the spin bowlers. But it was Kenneth Farnes, Essex speed demon, who met with most success. He dismissed four men for 29 runs.

Mitchell again proved a tower of strength to the Springbok eleven. He was top scorer with 30 in the disastrous opening innings, and at the close of play had obtained 53 not out at the second attempt.

SCORE CARD

England—First Innings

Hutton, l.b.w., b Gordon	31
P. A. Gibb, c Wade, b Davies	38
Paynter, c Mitchell, b Langton	243
W. H. Hammond, c Mitchell, b Gordon	120
Ames, not out	27
Extras	10
Total (for four, declared)	469

Fall of Wickets—1 for 38, 2 for 153, 3 for 395, 4 for 469.

Bowling

	O.	M.	R.	W.
E. Q. Davies	15	0	106	1
A. B. C. Langton	23.5	0	107	1
N. Gordon	29	0	127	2
B. Mitchell	8	0	45	0
E. L. Dalton	13	0	74	0

South Africa—First Innings

B. Mitchell, c Ames, b Edrich	30
P. Van der Byl, run out	28
E. A. Rowan, l.b.w., b Wright	4
D. Nourse, c Hammond, b Farnes	0
K. G. Viljoen, c Hammond, b Wright	2
E. L. Dalton, b Wilkinson	12
W. W. Wade, c Hammond, b Farnes	14
A. Melville, not out	5
A. B. C. Langton, c Hutton, b Farnes	0
N. Gordon, b Farnes	1
E. Q. Davies, b Wilkinson	2
Extras	5
Total	103

Fall of Wickets—1 for 60, 2 for 61, 3 for 65, 4 for 65, 5 for 79, 6 for 87, 7 for 98, 8 for 98, 9 for 100, 10 for 103.

Bowling

	O.	M.	R.	W.
K. Farnes	13	1	29	4
W. H. Hammond	2	1	2	0
Wright	12	1	37	2
Verity	8	4	9	0
Edrich	4	0	9	1
Wilkinson	6.5	2	12	2

South Africa—Second Innings

B. Mitchell, not out	53
P. Van der Byl, b Verity	13
E. A. Rowan, not out	7
Extras	0
Total (for one wicket)	73

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BILLIARDS

Standings of teams, this week's matches and last week's results in the Inter-Service Billiard League follow:

"A" DIVISION

	P	W	L	P
Pro Patria	4	4	0	4
Army and Navy	4	0	4	0

"B" DIVISION

	P	W	L	P
Army and Navy	6	3	3	3
Britannia	3	2	1	2
Pro Patria	3	1	2	1

High Break—T. Hodge, 36.

"C" DIVISION

	P	W	L	P
Army and Navy	8	5	1	5
Pro Patria	6	4	2	4
Britannia	6	2	4	2
Naval Veterans	6	1	5	1

High Break—J. McBirnie, 42.

Games this week:

"A" Division—Pro Patria vs. Army and Navy.

"B" Division—Britannia vs. Pro Patria.

"C" Division—Naval Veterans vs. Pro Patria; Britannia vs. Army and Navy.

"A" SECTION

Army and Navy		Pro Patria	
J. Food	258	P. Fitzsimmons	300
W. Crowther	276	S. Oakes	300
Total	534	Total	600

"B" SECTION

Pro Patria		Army and Navy	
T. Hodge	200	A. McKay	171
A. Rogers	80	C. Butler	200
W. Campbell	128	T. Lister	200
Total	408	Total	511

"C" SECTION

Pro Patria		Britannia	
R. V. Lee	150	P. C. Payne	148
H. Wallace	150	J. Primrose	93
A. Dobbie	150	H. C. Henson	144
Total	450	Total	385

Army and Navy		Naval Veterans	
J. Anderson	150	F. L. Elliott	121
N. McBirnie	150	K. I. Elliott	60
H. Hurr	150	A. Whyte	140
Total	450	Total	331

WILL RECOGNIZE WINNER OF BOUT

LONDON, Jan. 21 (CP).—The British Board of Boxing Control today decided to recognize the bout between Len Harvey, Great Britain, and Larry Gains, Canadian Negro, scheduled for March 16 at Harringay Arena, as for the British Empire heavyweight championship.

LEAFS BEAT AMERKS, 7-2

Toronto Scores Easy Victory—Gordon Drillon Gets Five Points

TORONTO, Jan. 21 (AP).—Toronto Maple Leafs hit their second-best scoring mark of the National Hockey League season as they whipped the New York Americans, 7-2, tonight. The victory moved the Leafs within four points of the third-place Americans in the standings.

Gordon Drillon, Toronto's scoring ace, figured in five of the scores, netting two and assisting three times. The first three goals of the contest came within a minute and fifteen seconds during the opening period.

Line-ups:

Toronto — Broada, McDonald, Hamilton, Apps, Drillon, Davidson. Subs: Kampman, Horner, Chamberlain, Metz, Kelly, Jackson, Romnes, Heron.

Americans — Robertson, Jerwa, Smith, Stewart, Wiseman, Anderson. Subs: Gallagher, Chapman, Schriner, Carr, Field, Jackson, Goldsworthy, Sorrell, Jenkins.

Officials: Referee, Mickey Ion; linesman, Happy Day.

SUMMARY

First Period—1, Toronto, Parsons (Apps and Drillon), 13:02; 2, Toronto, Drillon (Chamberlain, Parsons), 13:41; 3, Americans, Stewart (Anderson), 14:17; 4, Toronto, Romnes (Kelly), 17:45; 5, Americans, Carr (Anderson), 19:34. Penalties: Wiseman, Jerwa, Chamberlain, Horner.

Second Period—No score.

Third Period—6, Toronto, Drillon (Chamberlain, Apps), 4:02; 7, Toronto, Davidson (Drillon), 9:15; 8, Toronto, Apps (Drillon, McDonald), 9:45; 9, Toronto, Kelly (Romnes, Jackson), 13:38. Penalties: Wiseman, Stewart, Hamilton.

TABLE TENNIS TOURNEY SET

Western Canada Championships Billed Here Feb. 1-4 At Crystal Garden

Champions and ranking "ping-pong" stars from the Pacific Northwest will be seen in action at the Crystal Garden early next month when the Victoria Table Tennis Association presents the Western Canada championships. The tournament will last for four days, opening on Wednesday, February 1, and concluding on Saturday, February 4.

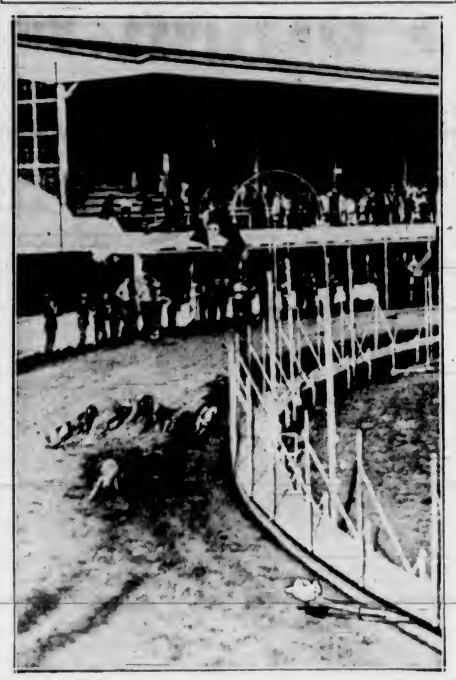
Plans for the event, the largest of its kind ever attempted by the local association, are well in hand, and early entries include the names of fifteen out-of-town players, all top-ranking performers. Followers of the game, now well established on the city's Winter sports calendar, should witness some excellent play with visiting stars battling against the pick of Victoria in a major tournament.

THREE COAST CHAMPIONS

The local association will have three Coast champions entered in Miss Mary McKay, Pacific Coast singles titleholder; Miss Topsy McKay, Western Canada champion, and Tom Chattell, B.C. veterans' titleholder. Many other top flight Victoria players will be seen in action and will undoubtedly make a good showing.

The Seattle contingent will include Ray Pearson, B.C. champion; A. Martin, ranked number two in Washington State, and Georgina Foss, women's B.C. titleholder and a former Western Canadian champion. Portland will be represented by H. Phillan, Pacific Coast champion; Mrs. Jane Vaughan, Washington State winner; and Don Vaughan, number two player in Oregon State. H. Handling, Vancouver city titleholder and H. Keenlyside, former Western Canada and Pacific Coast monarch are among the entries from the Terminal City.

Chasing Electric Rabbit



Running faster than any human, these eight streamlined greyhounds are vainly pursuing the elusive electric rabbit at St. Petersburg, Florida, where the Kennel Club is often the scene of such stirring action.

Louis 6-to-1 Choice to Retain Championship

Brown Bomber Heavy Favorite to Keep Heavyweight Crown at Expense of John Henry Lewis On Wednesday in New York Ring

NEW YORK, Jan. 21 (AP).—It will no doubt come as a tremendous surprise to all followers of the science of sock to learn the ballyhoo boys are smoking up John Henry Lewis to give Joe Louis the business in their heavyweight championship fight next Wednesday night. It is being pointed out that (1) Lewis never has been knocked out, (2) He plans to turn the trick by a body attack, thus taking the Brown Bomber completely by surprise, and (3) He is too finished a boxer to be caught by those high-calibre shells from the Louis artillery.

JOE LOUIS

It also is being brought home that jolting Joe must be in the "killer" frame of mind to do his best. He was that way against Maxie Baer and against Max Schmeling last Summer, with results as expected. The chances are, it is explained, he won't be quite that way in Madison Square Garden on Wednesday because he and John Henry are palsy-walsy off-stage.

WEIGHT DIFFERENCE

You can say as often as you want to that John Henry never has been kayoed, but you can't overlook the fact that he has been off his pins. Isidoro Gastanaga sat him on the seat of his panties something like half-a-dozen times, and while Isidoro may have been as hard a puncher as Joe—which has been claimed—he certainly never threw so many fists, nor tossed 'em so straight as the young man from Detroit. And don't forget Joe will have about a fifteen-pound weight pull Wednesday, scaling around 200 to John Henry's 185.

Finally, the betting boys have installed Joe on the top end of 6-to-1 odds, and even have gone so far as to say he has a 3-1 chance of finishing off John Henry before the scheduled curtain-lower in this, his fifth defence of the championship. The betting boys, particularly those who have been taking a kicking around this Winter from such upsetters as Billy Conn and Red Burman, aren't offering that kind of money for charity's sake. They leave that business to the Salvation Army.

SHOULD SCORE KAYO

Thus, to the slightly beclouded eye of this observer, Joe Louis should knock out John Henry somewhere about the middle of the evening, within ten rounds anyway before a crowd that should be close to the Garden's 18,000 capacity. John Henry can be hit, as his sparmates have shown, and if a fighter can be hit—well, sometime ask Max Schmeling about Joe Louis.

RECREATION CENTRES

A local attendance record for Provincial Recreation Centres was set last Monday night at the Victoria High School gym when 183 women members were on the floor at one time. All available floor space had to be used to accommodate the large number. This compares very favorably with the provincial mark.

Arrangements are being completed for the holding of a telephone bridge to be held on Friday evening, several members having kindly volunteered the use of their homes for the evening.

On Tuesday morning at 10 a.m. the swimming class will get under way at the Crystal Garden pool. Many swimming activities are offered for both beginners and advanced swimmers. These classes will be held every Tuesday morning from 10 to 11:30 a.m. There will be no more Thursday morning swim classes, as these are now combined with the Tuesday morning sessions.

Chief Instructress Joan Horsfield visited Lake Hill and Esquimalt women's centres last week. These centres under the supervision of instructresses Mona Butts and Frances Borde, respectively, report good progress and large attendance from the start of the season.

The men's class at the Central Junior High School gym reports good attendances. A full line of apparatus is offered at this very fine men's centre.

Three centre dances are scheduled for the next few weeks. Lake Hill Centre at the Community Hall on Friday, February 3. Sooke members are staging their dance the following week on Friday, February 10, at Sooke. On Friday, February 17, the big P.R.C. Victoria Centre's dance is planned for the Crystal Garden.

Last Sunday an enthusiastic group climbed Mount Shepherd, overlooking Sooke harbor, a very enjoyable time being had by all members of the party. These mountain climb hikes are planned for every Sunday, weather permitting, leaving by car from the corner of Fort and Douglas Streets at 10 a.m. For further information see Alf Batcheler, who is in charge of these outings.

GIVEN OPEN TOURNEY

LONDON, Jan. 21 (AP).—The 1940 British amateur golf championship will be held at Muirfield and the open championship over the Birkdale Golf Club course at Southport, it was announced today.

Present Standing of Clubs in Old Country Soccer

LONDON, Jan. 21 (CP).—English, Scottish and Irish Cup matches cut into league contests today. Two games were played in the English League First Division and three in the second circuit, and did not materially affect standings.

Standings in the Third Division Southern and Northern Sections of the English League, including games played Saturday, follow:

ENGLISH LEAGUE

Third Division—Southern Section

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Goals P
Newport County	26	17	4	4	41	24	38
Crystal Palace	24	13	8	3	42	31	29
Reading	26	9	7	10	42	35	28
Aldershot	24	10	6	8	31	29	28
Swindon	24	11	4	9	47	38	27
Northampton	23	12	10	1	37	17	27
Notts County	22	10	6	6	32	25	26
Queen's Park Rangers	24	9	8	7	39	33	25
Cardiff City	23	8	8	6	33	33	24
Walsall	23	9	10	4	36	35	24
Bristol City	26	9	10	4	38	42	24
Exeter City	26	7	9	6	40	34	23
Ipswich Town	23	8	10	5	29	32	21
Port Vale	23	8	11	4	31	32	20
Southend United	26	7	8	5	36	39	19
Clapton Orient	23	6	10	7	27	32	19
Torquay United	23	7	11	5	29	38	19
Mansfield Town	23	7	11	5	27	48	19
Bournemouth	23	6	11	6	26	36	18
Bristol Rovers	24	5	12	7	27	36	17
Walsall	23	5	13	5	26	36	15

Third Division—Northern Section

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Goals P
Barnsley	26	18	4	4	59	25	40
Southport	23	14	3	6	53	26	34
Crewe Alexandra	25	13	9	3	42	38	31
Oldham Athletic	23	14	9	2	49	39	30
Bradford City	24	13	8	3	52	32	29
Doncaster Rovers	23	10	4	9	43	28	29
Hull City	24	12	8	4	46	44	28
New Brighton	26	11	10	5	43	43	27
Stockport County	22	10	6	6	32	37	26
Chester	22	10	7	5	32	42	25
Rotherham United	26	11	12	3	45	43	25
Barrow	26	11	12	3	44	48	25
Rochdale	26	10	12	4	37	48	24
Wrexham	26	10	12	4	38	54	24
Halifax Town	25	8	10	7	24	31	23
Darlington	26	9	11	6	44	60	23
Lincoln City	25	6	11	8	41	55	20
Carlisle United	24	8	12	4	38	46	20
Gateshead	24	7	12	5	40	47	19
York City	25	6	14	3	34	57	17
Northampton	25	6	18	1	33	61	13
Accrington Stanley	25	2	19	4	22	61	8

OAK BAY XV AND NAVY IN FIRST BERTH

Register Shutouts in Intermediate Rugby League Matches

INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE

	W.	L.	F.	A.	Points P.
Wanderers	2	0	29	6	4
Navy	2	0	12	3	4
Victoria College	0	2	6	13	0
Canadian Scottish	0	2	3	28	0

Yesterday's scores:

Oak Bay Wanderers 19, Canadian Scottish 0.

Navy 3, Victoria College 0.

Oak Bay Wanderers and Navy intermediate Rugby fifteens remain bracketed in first place in the Heyland Cup race today following victories in yesterday's fixtures. The tie, however, will probably be broken next Saturday when the two leaders meet in the most important game in the second-half chase.

Playing on the lower field at Macdonald Park, Coach Mickey Murray's Wanderers trounced the Canadian Scottish, 19-0. The eventual winners established an 11-0 lead at the breather and added eight points in the final stanza.

Smart dribbling attacks which forced the Scottish back on their heels early in the game, brought valuable points for the Oak Bay fifteen. Harmston started the scoring and Palin followed with two trys. Stan Davies converted the third try just before the interval.

Continuing to dominate the play Wanderers boosted their total to nineteen points with two well-earned trys and a conversion by Joe Corcoran in the final half. Brodigan brought the score to 14-0 and Corcoran added three points a few minutes later. He converted his own try, making the final tally 19-0 for the Oak Bay ruggers.

Referee—McMillan.

Teams:

Oak Bay Wanderers — Clarke, Brodigan, Davies, Cook, Corcoran, Pearse, Murdoch, Palin, MacDonald, Morrison, Ellis, Davey, Page, Harmston and Turner.

Canadian Scottish—Jones, Bishop, Mair, B. Martin, Sorenson, Fraser, McLean, Painter, Oddy, McDonald, Holland, Malcolm, Clarkson, Garrison and Luxton.

NAVY WINS

A lone try by Madgwick, brilliant young forward, gave Coach Hall's Navy ruggers a 3-0 victory over Victoria College in a keenly-fought match at Admirals Road. The score came twenty minutes after the kick-off, and resulted from a dribbling attack by the sailor forwards.

Play was rugged throughout, with little to choose between the two fifteens. Navy forwards were slightly superior, but the Collegians' backfield men were faster and smarter than the sailors. The bluejackets had a slim margin in the territorial play, but towards the close of the game the students applied the pressure and forced the sailors on the defensive.

Referee—Wurtele.

Teams:

Navy—Hibbert, Geddes, Dewhurst, Foster, Howes, Oliver, Bladen, Madgwick, Bailey, Lister, Moore, Stedman, Stephens, Burkman and Campbell.

Victoria College — Fricker, MacDonald, Lamb, Evans, Staples, McMillan, Sturrock, McLean, McMinn, Hughes, Ogilvie, Williams, Garrison, Mainguy and Howard.

EASY VICTORIES IN RUGBY LEAGUE

VANCOUVER, Jan. 21 (CP).—Vancouver Rowing Club, Varsity and Meralomas were successful in their Miller Cup English Rugby series matches here today, holding their respective positions at the top of the standings.

Rowing Club, who now have nineteen points to their credit, walked over weak Vancouver Barbarians with a 30-6 score at Brockton Point, and Varsity beat North Shore All-Blacks 11-3 in North Vancouver.

Varsity, playing one game less than the other two top teams, have compiled eighteen points; while Meralomas, who defeated University of British Columbia 21-4 at Varsity Stadium, has seventeen.

In the fourth game today, New Westminster shut out Grads 22-0 to move into a tie with All-Blacks for fifth place.

IRISH FOOTBALL

BELFAST, Jan. 21 (CP). — First-round Irish Football Cup matches played today resulted as follows:

Ards 2, Glenavon 2.

Ballymena United 1, Glentoran 0.

Bangor 2, Crusaders 0.

Cliftonville 4, Coleraine 2.

Derry City 1, Portadown 2.

Distillery 1, Belfast Celtic 4.

Larne 0, Linfield 4.

Newry Town 2, Sirocco Works 2.

City Holds Dockers To Two-All Draw in Senior League Game

Revamped Line-Up Battles to Hard-Fought Deadlock With Esquimalt at Heywood Avenue—Garrison Blanks Saanich Thistles, 2-0

Strengthened by the addition of two members of the Victoria United eleven and also the return to uniform of three well-known players, Victoria City fought doggedly to a 2-2 deadlock with the smooth working Esquimalt footballers, yesterday afternoon, at Heywood Avenue ground, as the second half schedule opened in the first division of the Victoria and District League. At the Athletic Park the Garrison blanked the Saanich Thistles, 2-0, before one of the smallest turnouts of the present season.

Thoroughly revamped from the team which took a 10-0 shellacking in their last match with the same Esquimalt boys, the City will be heard from in this half of the campaign. Wally Rowe was guarding the net for the redshirts and turned in a spectacular performance, saving his side time after time with sensational saves, while George Leggett, Sammy Essler, Ronnie Williams and Cliff Robbins fortified the City defence and offence.

It was anybody's ball game and a draw seems to satisfy the fairly large crowd on hand. George Payne, at left wing for Esquimalt, was at his best. He fired away at the goal at every opportunity, tricked the City backs numerous times, crossed to the goal mouth when he couldn't shoot and back checked in grand style.

UNUSUAL INCIDENT

Early in the game with the City short handed and Esquimalt having the better of it, Rowe made a fine save from Payne as the winger cut in fast for a low drive. Al Condon came on and went to inside left to balance the teams.

After Hornsby had cleared half a dozen City attempts a funny incident took place in the City goal mouth. Goalie Rowe attempted to clear, lost possession of the ball and Jimmy Stewart drove it for what he thought was an unprotected net. Gordie Chalmers, a goal keeper playing fullback for the redshirts, went to his knees and saved the shot with his mid-section and Rowe rushed back to kick clear. Chalmers, used to handling drives as a goalie, was going to catch the leather in his hands but changed his mind in a split second, realizing that he was on the back division and a penalty would have been the result.

Payne broke through by himself as the game continued but skied over the bar and then John Watt's header hit the upright after the ball came from his brother, Joe, at right wing. At the other end, Alex Murray headed against the post from Condon's fine cross to the goal mouth. Back came Esquimalt and Payne raced through and Rowe pulled off the most sensational save of the afternoon, throwing himself at a hard, low shot which was going away from him. A minute from half time, "Scotty" Stewart scored, tricking past Chalmers and picking the far corner, well out of the goalie's reach.

GAME DEADLOCKED

Shortly after the second half started, Sammy Essler went to full-back in place of Chalmers. After twelve minutes of rugged, hard-tackling play, Alex Murray knotted the score when he raced in, took the ball off the goalie and pushed it into the net. Ten minutes later the City went to the front when Len Fieldhouse found the goal with a long drive through a mass of players.

Sensing defeat, Esquimalt made two switches, sending Holt to the half line and Barnswell up to right wing in place of Joe Wall. Only two minutes went by when Esquimalt tied it all up again. George Payne took the ball, cut in fast towards the goal and beat Rowe with a low drive to the far corner. Both teams fought hard for the remaining minutes and missed some glorious chances to break the deadlock.

McKay refereed, and the teams follow:

Esquimalt — Hornsby, Moody, Laird, Barnswell, Halkett, McBay, Joe Watt, A. Stewart, John Watt, J. Stewart, Payne and Holt.

Victoria City — Rowe, Leggett, Chalmers, C. Robbins, Fieldhouse, Williams, Murray, McCaig, Ord, Condon, Robbins and Essler.

GARRISON TRIUMPHS

Garrison had little difficulty in blanking the very young and inexperienced Saanich thistles squad, 2-0, at the Royal Athletic Park. The Tommies had control of the ball for the majority of the tussle but didn't seem interested enough to bear down and ram home a few more tallies.

The winners were credited with both goals in the first half, Jimmy Worswick beating Webster in the Thistles' net each time. Saanich produced its best soccer after the breather, but with the exception of one or two combination rushes their passing attack was only mediocre.

Lack of competition probably resulted in the carefree showing of the soldiers, who were content to worry the suburban netminder, who, incidentally, spent a busy afternoon. Young Murray Speller stood out for Saanich, the hard-working halfback breaking up many Garrison plays as well as contributing to his own team's offence.

About ten minutes had ticked by when Worswick slammed the ball past Webster, and, five minutes later, with Saanich still badly disorganized, he marked up another goal.

George Mowat missed a golden opportunity to score for Saanich when he blew a penalty shot. After both Shone and Cook, clever Garrison backs, had handled the ball.

Dave Swan refereed, and teams follow:

Garrison—Coldwell, Shone, Cook, Wallace, Thomson, Thorburn, Bichard, McAllister, Worswick, Wait and Evans.

Saanich Thistles — Webster, Bissenden, Crowe, Mowat, Speller, Underwood, Gibson, Ono, McDonald, Tregillis and Oakley.

NORTH SHORE WINS EASILY

Canadian Football Champions Trim Vancouver United, 9-1

VANCOUVER, Jan. 21 (CP).—North Shore United 1938 Dominion soccer champions, smothered Vancouver United, 9-1, at North Vancouver today to earn a one-point lead in Mainland League standings, while St. Andrews defeated New Westminster Royals, 4-2, here.

Mike McManus netted four times for the North Shore squad, while Jimmy Spencer counted three goals and Jimmy Love and Alex Christie each scored once. Mike Wilkinson counted Vancouver United's only point.

Spencer opened the scoring in the first half and McManus added another before the rest interval.

Wilkinson's goal came as the second half opened and from then on North Shore bombarded the Vancouver net for seven more counters.

Johnny Craig and Don Mallieson each scored once for St. Andrews in the first half of the game here, with Bill Gray netting once for Royals.

Norm McLeod cut St. Andrews' lead to 3-2 as play resumed after the rest interval, but Ambrose McLatchey retaliated with another goal for the Vancouver team.

LEAGUE SCORERS STILL THE SAME

LONDON, Jan. 21 (CP).—English and Scottish Football Cup games dug deep into league encounters today with the result that the goal-scoring race was unchanged from January 14 compilation.

Leading scorers:

ENGLISH LEAGUE

Division I—M. Fenton, Middlesbrough, 21.

Division II—A. Clarke, Blackburn Rovers, 22.

Division III (Southern Section)—B. Morton, Swindon Town, 19.

Division III (Northern Section) — B. Asquith, Barnsley, 22.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

Division I—A. Venters, Rangers, 28.

Division II—Morrison, East Stirling, 27.

SINKS TEE SHOT

Doug Taylor, of the Government Forestry Branch, scored a hole-in-one yesterday at the Colwood Golf Club when he sank his tee shot on the 220-yard eleventh hole while playing in a friendly foursome.

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HORTON SMITH AND DICK METZ IN GOLF FINAL

Spectacular Play Is Seen in Semis Of Open Tourney

Ben Coltrin Scores Hole-in-One, But Loses to Smith, 2 and 1—Metz Puts Out "Bud" Ward While at the Peak of His Game—McSpaden Is Defeated in the Quarter-Finals

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21 (AP).—Smashing Lakeside's par of 71 and the stout resistance of formidable opponents, Dick Metz, of Chicago, and Horton Smith, of Oak Park, Ill., became finalists today in the $5,000 San Francisco match play open golf tournament.

They scored telling victories in sensational semi-final rounds featured by a hole in one by one of the contestants.

Metz, at the peak of his game, defeated Marvin Ward, star amateur from Olympia, Wash., 3 and 2. Smith eliminated Ben Coltrin, 2 and 1, despite a 135-yard race on the part of the San Francisco entrant.

Coltrin's one was the most spectacular shot in the nine-year history of the San Francisco open. On the uphill layout, his ball lit about two feet behind the pin. The backspin on it drew the ball into the cup as if attracted by a magnet. A crowd of some 3,000 spectators cheered so loudly the noise disturbed Metz and Ward, following a hole behind.

The best golf of the day was turned in by Metz, winner of the recent $5,000 Oakland open. He finished his match two under par. Smith wound up one under standard figures, while the two losers were a stroke over par.

Smith, one of the most accurate putters in the business, ran true to form. He knocked in three from distances of forty, thirty and twenty feet.

Metz' approaches split the pin throughout the round. Both he and Ward pulled off recovery shots from behind trees which drew applause from the gallery.

The winners will meet over the thirty-six-hole route for the major prize of $1,050. The runner-up will receive $550.

In the quarter-finals, Metz defeated Sam Byrd, Philadelphia, 4 and 3; Ward won from Ben Hogan, White Plains, N.Y., 1 up; Smith put out Leonard Dodson, Springfield, Mo., 4 and 3, and Coltrin eliminated Harold McSpaden, Winchester, Mass., 2 and 1.

STRAITHS WIN OPENING HALF

Top Teams in Olympic Senior Tenpin League—Malcolm Leading Bowler

Straiths, rolling consistently high games, won the first half of the Olympic Senior Tenpin League last week. Trailing by only one game were the classy Five Roses Flour team. The Poodle Dog Cafe and Watson's Men's Wear followed in order.

High team three games were rolled by Five Roses Flour with a grand 3,088 total. This team also captured the high single game of 1,083. The high individual three games was bowled by Jim Ferguson, who crashed the maples for a 687 score. Ferguson also rolled a 269 high single game.

Ian Malcolm, skipper of the Five Roses Flour team, is heading the bowlers for the first half with a 193.6 average, closely followed by J. Ferguson with 191 and G. Cliff with 189.6.

The following are the first half averages:

	Games	Average
I. Malcolm	36	193.6
J. Ferguson	45	191
G. Cliff	36	189.6
H. Paulding	39	188.5
A. White	45	188.3
J. Bell	21	186.5
J. Quinn	36	185.7
H. Moulton	42	185
C. Steele	45	184.4
R. Elwood	33	184
W. Johnston	45	183
A. Riddell	42	182.5
J. Ferrie	45	181.3
T. Bowden	45	180.7
F. Barrie	33	180
A. Falk	17	180
J. Howell	45	179.3
A. Condon	9	178.6
G. Gurr	9	177.4
S. Oldham	43	175.6
F. Young	24	169
H. Jealouse	39	168.5
A. Doherty	28	167.5

FAIR GROUNDS RACING

FAIR GROUNDS, Jan. 21.—Results here today follow:

FIRST RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Crout Au Pot (Conley) $5.80 $3.40 $2.80
Bad Dreams (Calvert) 5.20 3.00
Noah's Pride (Fields) 2.60
Time, 1.46 3-5. Also ran: Penrill, Caracole, Texas Boy, Royal Flight, Nogalo.

SECOND RACE—Mile and seventy yards
Holton (Oros) $7.40 $4.00 $2.80
Molly Fly (Hardke) 4.40 2.60
Cynical (Dupuy) 3.00
Time, 1.45 4-5. Also ran: Cardinal Time, Carolster, Scoria, At Home, Heavy Mist, Linter, Sweeping Bow.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs
Hedon (Greever) $18.60 $8.20 $8.40
Twinkle Feet (Dyer) 11.00 8.60
Sound Wave (Bowen) 8.40
Time, 1.14. Also ran: Henry M., Tramway, Garden Message, Boston Sound, Marcabala, Dixie Princess, Firm Hand, Dan Skilling, Skippy McGee.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs
Waxwing (Bowen) $9.20 $3.40 $2.60
Miss Dolphin (Conley) 2.80 2.40
Maleman (Dupuy) 3.00
Time, 1.12 1-5. Also ran: Trickwick, Hilo Manso, Lieber, Nemont.

FIFTH RACE—Mile and seventy yards
Torch Stick (Dupuy) $9.20 $4.80 $3.60
Patrol Scout (Marrero) 6.00 4.20
Hope Diamond (Dobson) 4.00
Time, 1.43 3-5. Also ran: Bright, Sherry B., My Shadow, Plucky Byrd, Jubilee C., Parkwood Chief.

SIXTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Zevson (Burns) $16.60 $6.80 $4.00
Orinoco (Eccard) 3.60 2.60
Cash O Boy (Calvert) 3.20
Time, 1.46 1-5. Also ran: Real Play, Taken, Dusky Prince, Spillway, Whipowill, Casina Head.

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-quarter
Miss Adams (Bowen) $14.60 $6.20 $4.60
High Diver (Dupuy) 14.80 8.60
Justa Flight (Oros) 3.40
Time, 2.06 2-5. Also ran: Lockstep, Irisheen, Hood Cover, Sayloma, Union, Skipsea, Autumn Leaves, Ilsa, Imperial Nick.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Pirate Lass 103
Lucre Lude 109
Jolo 106
Arctic Star 108
Escolee 111
Lester P 111
Park City 113
Prince Cloud 108
Sorcery 108
Rainshead 116
Book's Pride 111
King Bonny 111
Vedalia 108
Kansas Citian 113
Manhunt 108
Henrietta 108
Trooparette 108
Overplay 113

SECOND RACE—Mile and seventy yards
Agnes Knight 105
Lucy 102
Night Call 107
Let's Win 110
Dr McLarney 112
Dyak 110
War Jest 105
Catsweep 112
Flying Cadet 112
Hickory Lad 107
Hands Down 102
Rhimeda 102
Dianna Do 105
Freeze 110
Wilful 112
Colorist 107
Aurebon 110
Bright Melody 102

FIRST RACE—Five and one-half furlongs
Chipeta 104
Inchancery 112
Bilkan 109
Robert S 109
Marao 114
Gold Step 109
Dark Mist 104
Wild Blonde 112
Prince Jean 114
Red Hook 114
Jim Cornell 109
Panatela 107
Ethel's Choice 107
Encircle 109
Mad Rush 104
Miss Ivory 109
June Girl 104
Love Lost 104

FOURTH RACE—Two furlongs
(A) Louisiana Dick 114
Sir Greenock 114
Moody 114
Charley Hoss 114
Three Clovers 114
Victory March 114
Termolean 114
Little Davey 114
(B) Skating Mad 114
Caube 114
Tex Star 114
Witchfin 114
Don Rafel 115
(A) Blob Volt 114
(B) Casino Pete 114

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs
Golden Nugget 112
Black Rhapsody 105
Glowset 106
Jadaan 118
Mount Kala 111
Golden Silence 107
One Night 107
Imperial Jones 99
Last Hop 113
Dedication 114
Mobcap 100
Maiden Dream 108
Manda's Baby 108
Barbara B 110

SIXTH RACE—Mile and seventy yard
Blazing Sun 110
John Tio 115
Morning Mail 110
Card bre 112
Birds Eye 110
Sax pal 110
Pish Tush 112
Count Me 110
Cross Ruff 117
Instead 112
Katherine G 105

SEVENTH RACE — Mile and seventy yards
Colonel Martin 110
Out of Fire 112
Synod 107
Lannie Kate 107
Don Pancho 110
General Boy 110
Somebody 107
Sister Jean 102
Creole Beauty 102
Hereward 112
Sweet Snowbo 102
Ragacreek 110
Two Brooms 107
Spey Crest 115
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WANDERERS IN 14-0 TRIUMPH OVER KILTIES

Groff Murdoch Stars as Oak Bay Rugby Team Win Cup Fixture

Coming to life in the final stanza after making a dismal showing in the opening half, Oak Bay Wanderers yesterday blanked the Canadian Scottish, 14-0, in a Barnard Cup Rugby match played on the upper field at Macdonald Park. The triumph drew the Oak Bay ruggers two points nearer the leading J.B.A.A. fifteen in the race for the first-half championship.

JACK GROGAN

Next Saturday the Wanderers and the Scottish will meet in a postponed cup fixture, and another victory for the Oak Bay lads will create a two-way tie with the oarsmen for top berth. On their showing yesterday the Wanderers will rule strong favorites to make it two in a row over the "kilties."

Scottish played all their Rugby in the opening session and had enough opportunities to set up a good lead at the breather. They really had hard luck crossing the Oak Bay line twice, and for the entire half kept the Wanderers from reaching their "two-bit" line.

"Kilties" played most of the initial stanza with fourteen men, but even this proved no handicap. They fought like Trojans, and after forcing their opponents on the defensive quite early in the match, literally hammered at the Oak Bay line for practically the entire half. Time after time when the Scottish carried play deep into opposing territory they lacked the scoring punch so necessary for points and consequently reached the breather without a single try to their credit.

DIFFERENT STORY

But what a different story it was as soon as the final stanza opened. Wanderers, looking like a new club, pulled off a smart three-quarter run from almost mid-field and Groff Murdoch wound up with the ball over the Scottish line. Jack Grogan converted to give the eventual winners a 5-0 lead. The score came three minutes after the kick-off.

Wanderers continued their smart offensive plays and kept the Scottish on the defensive for all but a few minutes of the half. They were passing the ball smartly and opening up the play at every opportunity with the Scottish helpless to halt the onslaught.

Groff Murdoch made it 8-0 when he took Joe Roberts' pass and dashed over near the flag. Brent Murdoch started the play when he picked off a kick from a defender and passed to Harry Barber. Jack Grogan, fleet-footed fullback, came up with the play and took Barber's pass at top speed, running twenty yards before passing to Roberts. The kick failed.

Husky Tom Carney, who turned in one of his best games of the season, scored the third try for the Wanderers as they kept on the attack. The score came following a line-out inside the Scottish twenty-five. Carney, after crossing the line, raced around and planted the ball directly between the uprights. Grogan's kick for extra points was blocked by B. Martin, making the score 11-0.

Wanderers wound up the scoring when Groff Murdoch went over for his third try of the match. Gaining possession of the ball after Holyoak, Scottish three-quarter, attempted to clear, Murdoch raced twenty yards for a score. The kick was short.

Referee—Symons.

Teams:

Oak Bay Wanderers—Grogan, B. Murdoch, Roberts, Carney, G. Murdoch, Barber, Anderson, Gornall, Guelpa, Colthurst, Ley, Stevens, Forbes, Lannigan and Acland.

Canadian Scottish — Rutherford, Narod, DeMacedo, Moffat, Hughes, Williams, B. Martin, Knight, Coomber, Willard, Hamilton, Smith, Paul, Holyoak and Warwick.

War Admiral Training

Tuning up with a view to winning a second straight victory in the $50,000 Widener race at Hialeah, Fla., March 4, is Samuel D. Riddle's War Admiral. This was his first workout and he breezed five furlongs in 1 minute 4 seconds.

BOWLING

ARCADE ALLEYS

SENIOR CITY TENPIN LEAGUE

Poodle Dog Cafe—A. Porter, 530; A. Riddell, 483; J. Howell, 530; J. Ferguson, 575; R. Wilson, 610. Total 2,746.

Arcades—A. Benn, 500; C. Kerr, 485; C. Freer, 477; R. Semple, 607; T. Bowden, 520. Total 2,589.

Poodle Dog Cafe won two.

The Daily Colonist—W. Templeton, 524; H. Hazzard, 493; B. Peden, 509; A. Hawkins, 512; C. Chislett, 476. Total 2,505.

Five Roses Flour—I. Malcolm, 507; C. Steele, 520; H. Moulton, 487; J. Leetham, 477; A. Falk, 525. Total 2,516.

Five Roses Flour won two.

CANADIAN LEGION FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Pro Patria—H. Wilkinson, 606; B. Morry, 544; G. Rawlinson, 469; C. Tickle, 643; R. Lea, 708. Total, 2,971.

Naval Veterans—W. Johnson, 497; W. Holland, 305; J. McBay, 459; J. Worth, 155; C. Chislett, 560. Total, 2,586.

Britannia—D. Clarke, 621; H. Baker, 637; R. Millburn, 445; V. Scarborough, 496; H. Pickup, 562. Total, 2,881.

Pro Patria won two.

Britannia won one.

BETTER HALVES FIVEPIN LEAGUE

"A" Team—B. Jenkins, 427; A. Pellow, 455; O. Prior, 373; A. Jarvie, 420. Total, 1,675.

"B" Team—M. Chambers, 481; R. Williams, 375; W. Kendrick, 419; E. Rundell, 469. Total, 1,764.

"C" Team—J. Peirson, 437; D. Hull, 367; M. Pollard, 396; G. Fane, 362. Total, 1,602.

"D" Team—A. Vivian, 475; G. Scott, 466; C. Ockenden, 378; T. Riley, 357. Total, 1,676.

"E" Team—D. Thirlwall, 373; W. Blance, 351; W. Prevost, 361; R. Riches, 516. Total, 1,601.

LADIES' TENPIN LEAGUE

Huskies—E. Irvine, 525; I. Goodman, 464; E. McBeath, 488; M. Hurst, 463; B. Ray, 449. Handicap, 6. Total, 2,395.

Brunsdon's—A. Armstrong, 471; E. Peden, 434; M. Dunnett, 394; B. Elves, 525; D. Hume, 541; handicap, 21. Total, 2,366.

Huskies won two.

Dynamiters—Ruth Mercer, 391; Kitty Freer, 398; Flo Calder, 360; Daudie McAlpine, 335; Mynne Baker, 379; handicap, 312. Total, 2,195.

Nine-Pinners—Erma Stables, 411; Kitty Cameron, 328; Mary Crowe, 447; Ruby Harper, 277; Hilda Gray, 362; handicap, 429. Total, 2,254.

Nine-Pinners won two.

Go-Gos—Nan Burns, 401; Jessie Bourne, 323; Ann Johnson, 386; low score, 742; handicap, 210. Total, 2,062.

Left-Overs — Dot McBeath, 493; Judy Hibbard, 507; Vic Elwood, 450; Illa Stewart, 469; Grace Elves, 416; handicap, 16. Total, 2,367.

Left-Overs won three.

SENIOR FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Busy Bee Cafe—N. Lerick, 611; Pat Corcoran, 430; A. Harness, 562; A. Porter, 632; G. Andrews, 653. Total, 2,688.

Good Eats Cafe—H. Anderson, 656; D. Jones, 824; G. Davies, 670; B. Marshall, 893; low score, 384. Total, 3,234.

Good Eats Cafe won three.

The Daily Colonist—A. Benn, 567; W. Dunn, 554; E. Borde, 600; F. Welsh, 636; J. Hough, 629. Total, 2,986.

Arcades—C. Chislett, 536; C. Kipney, 538; B. Proctor, 503; W. Plater, 579; C. Savage, 565. Total, 2,721.

The Daily Colonist won three.

Elks Club—W. Norris, 666; A. Stokes, 604; W. Sturken, 593; A. Anderson, 706; R. Begg, 415. Total, 2,976.

George's Confectionery—B. Collins, 431; G. Dennstedt, 522; H. Hartnell, 521; N. MacKinnon, 515; S. Collins, 661. Total, 2,670.

Elks Club won three.

OLYMPIC ALLEYS

ROTARY LEAGUE

Wieners—J. P. Laird, 497; P. Doherty, 509; A. Lindsay, 544; B. Lemm, 360; G. Alexander, 342; handicap, 300. Total, 2,522.

Oilers—Simpson, 409; B. Clarke, 437; Johnston, 359; Corcoran, 503; Rives, 432; handicap, 234. Total, 2,374.

Wieners won two.

Freighters—Bowers, 546; Ireland, 580; Davies, 564; Armistead, 657; handicap, 81. Total, 2,408.

Typers—Armstrong, 493; Kennedy, 537; Clarke, 248; Boate, 586; Due, 136; handicap, 195. Total, 2,173.

Freighters won two.

LUMBERMEN'S LEAGUE

Moore-Whittington Mill No. 1—C. Holt, 540; H. D. Beveridge, 552; J. Cathcart, 53?; low score, 367; handicap, 61. Total, 2,1?8.

Shawnigan Lumber—H. Mackey, 563; K. Harrison, 484; D. Anderson, 429; D. Lambier, 378; handicap, 201. Total, 2,055.

Moore-Whittington Mill No. 1 won two.

Lemon, Gonnason No. 1—P. Paulson, 539; W. Bellow, 434; R. Wall, 409; W. Brown, 540; G. Dean, 724; handicap, 252. Total, 2,919.

Moore-Whittington Factory No. 1—S. Ball, 491; C. Parrott, 318; F. Noble, 503; C. Bowers, 616; G. Cliff, 559; handicap, 126. Total, 2,611.

Lemon, Gonnason No. 1 won three.

Cameron Lumber Co.—K. Perry, 522; B. Boyd, 495; F. Randall, 400; A. Brown, 624; H. Munsie, 367; handicap, 288. Total, 2,696.

Moore-Whittington Factory No. 2—W. Eritt, 475; W. Corbett, 392; N. Morgan, 483; E. Thomas, 540; H. Bowers, 330; handicap, 86. Total, 2,386.

Cameron Lumber Co. won three.

Lemon, Gonnason No. 2—G. Harknett, Jr., 639; S. Beaney, 548; E. Day, 507; E. Bage, 724; E. Elford, 272; G. Harknett, Sr., 79; handicap, 147. Total, 2,904.

Moore-Whittington Mill No. 2—W. By..., 555; W. Edwards, 527; F. Bossom, 56?; W. Ellis, 447; J. Lowie, 495; handicap, 213. Total, 2,798.

Lemon, Gonnason No. 2 won two.

WOMEN'S TENPIN LEAGUE

Hum Dingers—Jenny Johnston, 392; Ollie Mathews, 507; Ingrid Goodman, 523; low score, 199; Jean Hepburn, 141. Total, 1,762.

Hi-Jinx—E. McBeath, 397; J. Ramsdale, 379; J. Bourne, 298; D. White, 315. Total, 1,383.

Hum Dingers won three.

Jitter Bugs—Olive Webber, 458; Gladys Raybone, 376; Thelma Artes, 387; Ann Johnson, 475; low score, 266. Total, 1,962.

Five-Quizzes—L. Hansen, 563; G. I. Anson, 400; C. Birley, 374; I. Hutchins, 271; M. Breckenridge, 377. Total, 1,987.

Jitter Bugs won two.

PROMOTED

"Goodie!" enthused Ida Knowe, "our bright little file clerk. "They have just made my brother draft clerk at the bank!"

"That egg? Draft clerk?" we echoed.

"Sure!" said Ida. "He opens and closes the windows."

According to Culbertson

"Dear Mr. Culbertson,—During my recent trip through several countries in Europe I played a good deal of duplicate bridge, winning several tournaments.

"From my observations and experience I found that the best bridge generally is played in Norway and Sweden. There may be a few stronger experts in England and other countries, but generally sounder bidding and better play, particularly dummy play, were found in the northern countries. The players, who include what we may call the average players, were more technically correct in those countries than anywhere else, not barring America.

"Whenever I sat down to play with strangers the first question was this: 'What system do you play?' And what may be gratifying to you, nine out of ten played the Culbertson system.

"The following hand, which I played in a tournament in Oslo, Norway, will, I think, interest you. It was instrumental in the victory of my partner and myself.

South, dealer.
Match-point duplicate.
North-South vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ A 6 5
♥ J 10 9 6
♦ K Q 10
♣ Q 6 4

WEST	EAST
♠ 7 3 2	♠ Q J 9
♥ 8 5 4	♥ Q 7 2
♦ J	♦ 9 8 7 2
♣ J 9 8 5 3 2	♣ K 10 7

SOUTH
♠ K 10 8 4
♥ A K 3
♦ A 6 5 4 3
♣ A

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 ♦	Pass	2 NT	Pass
5 NT	Pass	7 ♦	Double
Pass	Pass	Pass	

"I was South. My partner and I had figured that we were about tied for first place, and that there was a big gap between the first, second and third pairs. Therefore we bid strongly, but I did not expect the jump to seven diamonds. At most tables the bidding ended at six diamonds. Some players even stopped at three no trump. Play at our table went as follows:

"West opened the five of clubs. My blank ace won and I led a low diamond to the queen. The diamond king then was cashed (West discarding a club) and I then led the jack of hearts. East gave me a bad moment when he did not cover, but, of course, I had to let it ride. I then led the club six and ruffled with the five of diamond. I cashed the heart ace after which I led the six of diamonds to dummy's ten (West discarded the spade deuce.) The heart nine then was led to my king. The diamond ace drew East's last trump, and I entered dummy with a spade to the ace. The lead of dummy's established heart now put East out of the running. He had to discard from his holding of three cards: the spade Q-J and the club king. Whichever he chose of course, he was a goner. Since he actually could see that the discard of the club king would establish the queen, and was not sure about the spade situation, he properly let go the spade jack. I then led a spade to my king and cashed the ten for fulfilling trick.

"Conrad N. Howard, Chicago."

Undoubtedly the hand was well played, although the bidding was definitely on the optimistic side. Not only was a successful heart finesse necessary, but, in addition, the heart suit had to break 3-3 (unless the queen were doubleton), and after that a squeeze had to be developed. In other words, declarer needed a very lucky lay of cards. But at least he knew what to do with a break when he got it.

Alpine Dairy Cagers Defeat the Dominoes In Exhibition Game

Seattle Hoopsters Register 29-26 Victory in Exhibition Basketball Fixture at High School Gymnasium—Visiting Athletes Always in Front

Alpine Dairy cagemen, undefeated leaders of the Seattle Community Basketball League, with nine straight triumphs to their credit, checked in with their second victory of the season over the Victoria Dominoes, last night at the High School gymnasium, when they finished on the long end of a 29-26 score. The visitors set up a 10-2 lead at the end of the first quarter and were never headed.

Dominoes, forced to stage an uphill battle all of the way, made things interesting in the last two quarters, after playing ragged ball in the opening stanza. They came within three points of the Sound City hoopsters twice in the final quarter before the rugged fixture ended with that margin separating the two quintettes.

Play was fast and rough at intervals and feeling ran high as the encounter continued. It reached the breaking point twenty-eight seconds before time when husky Chuck Chapman, Victoria guard, started to mix with Ivar Nelson, tall centre of the visitors. The rumpus soon died down, however, and the players shook hands. The fans, many of them standing in their seats, settled down to watch the few final seconds of play. The Dominoes skipper was ruled off on a disqualifying foul and Nelson, also charged with fouling, went off on his fourth personal.

ALPINES TAKE LEAD

Nelson, Werner and Voelker scored for Alpines to give them a 6-0 lead and at the seven-minute mark "Busher" Jackson dropped home Victoria's first and only basket of the initial stanza. Voelker replied with two field goals and Werner scored from the strip and the teams reached the breather with the score 10-2 in favor of Alpines.

Graf potted two baskets for Seattle and Nelson scored a field goal and a foul shot for their seven points in the second quarter.

Dominoes added six points in the second quarter with Taylor, Rowe and Mylrea sharing the scoring. Halftime arrived with the Alpines on the right end of a 17-8 count.

Locals looked better as the third quarter opened and with only three minutes of the session gone and the score 19-14, Alpines called time out. Roy Taylor scored from the strip as play continued and in the remaining minutes the quintettes matched point for point and reached the end of the third quarter four points apart. The score at that stage being: Alpines 23, Dominoes 19.

In the final stanza the Dominoes, battling like Trojans, scored the odd point in thirteen but could not get up on even terms with the Seattle hoopmen. When the outcome looked bad for the Alpines they slowed down the play and the method worked. In the final twenty-eight seconds following the flare-up between Chuck Chapman and Nelson the visitors retained possession of the ball.

MYLREA HIGH SCORER

John Mylrea, young rookie playing his first season with the Dominoes, had a good night and was top scorer for the locals with nine points. He seemed to provide the spark to start the drive that almost brought the Victoria cagemen through to victory. Roy Taylor was next in the scoring brigade with seven points.

Ivar Nelson, lanky centre, dropped home twelve points for Alpines, and was a source of worry all evening. The Seattle points, with one exception, were all scored by the regulars, the substitutes failing to make an impression on the scoring column.

Alpines scored twelve field goals and five out of ten foul shots, while the Dominoes scored one less basket and dropped home but four of thirteen attempts from the strip.

Tomorrow evening the Dominoes will journey to Sooke to play an exhibition game with the suburban cagers.

In the curtain raiser, Coach Bill Naismith's Y.M.C.A. junior boys hoopsters defeated St. Louis College, 34-22, in a play-off for the city championship.

Playing smart ball, Ramblers snowed the Pirates under a 48-17 defeat in the second game, an intermediate "A" boys' fixture. The Ramblers established a 19-5 lead at the interval and were never extended.

Referee, Bill Levy; umpire, H. Alexander.

Scores:

Alpine Dairy (Seattle)—Graf (6), Werner (3), Nelson (12), Voelker (7), More, Carey (1), Mulford, Bourke and Anderson. Total, 29.

Dominoes (Victoria) — C. Chapman (3), A. Chapman (2), R. Taylor (7), B. Davies, H. Rowe (3), S. Jackson (2), Patterson and J. Mylrea (9). Total, 26.

Ramblers—Patterson (13), Piercey (13), Sparks (4), Oakley (2), Baker (11) and VanDruten (5). Total, 48.

Pirates—Westwood, C. Berry (1), Miles (1), Parfitt, E. Berry (10), Jury, Acres (2), Howell (3) and D. Howell. Total, 17.

Y.M.C.A. — Winslow (6), MacCready (10), Province, Sprinkling, Peden (2), Long (5), Bostock, Ball (2) and Watson (9). Total, 34.

St. Louis College—Kelly (8), Battie (2), Clarkson (3), O'Connell (3), Knight (6), French and Raftery. Total, 22.

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Letters to the Editor

FOOTBALL APPEAL

Sports Editor,

Sir, — Tom Obee, who has been busy entertaining the boys at the Mount Douglas Camp, has been asked if he can procure for their use some discarded football boots in any kind of shape. Mr. Obee appealed to me and I am passing the request on to you, and through you to the many football folk who may be able to help. Mr. Obee and I will be pleased to take charge of any gifts of this kind and will be grateful to receive the same.

C. V. MILTON

Cranleigh House School, Victoria, B.C., January 21, 1939.

ESTIMATE INCREASED

OTTAWA, Jan. 21 (CP) — The Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported today, in its crop estimates, that the 1938 Canadian wheat production was 350,010,000 bushels, an increase of 1,910,000 bushels compared with the November estimate.

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FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Sharp Relapse in Stocks Weakens New York Mart

NEW YORK, Jan. 21 (AP).—Stocks suffered their sharpest relapse for more than a month in today's market as renewed apprehension over European affairs touched off selling in virtually all departments.

While a few issues managed to emerge with modest gains, losses of 1 to 4 points were widely distributed among leaders. Extreme setbacks were reduced, though, in some cases near the finish.

The Associated Press average of sixty stocks was off a full point at 50.9, the largest drop for any single session since November 18. On the week, the composite showed a net decline of 4-of a point. It was the third consecutive weekly downturn of this barometer.

Trading was moderately active at the start, but offerings piled up in the final half-hour and, for a brief interval, the ticker tape fell behind floor dealings. Transfers for the two hours amounted to 637,380 against 469,630 last Saturday. The turnover for six days was about 1,000,000 shares under last week's volume.

Latest Hitler moves, with the ousting of Dr. Schacht as head of the German Reich-bank, brought fears in Wall Street of a foreign explosion that might disrupt world markets. Pending further light on the Nazi programme, speculative contingents seemingly decided to get out from under so far as stocks were concerned.

A further slump in German obligations turned the attention of a nervous bond market today toward European events.

German Government 7's fell more than 3 points and many domestic corporate issues encountered considerable selling.

Polish and Italian bonds also felt the repercussions of the break in German issues. Down 1 or more at the finish were Poland 6's, Italy 7's, Rome 6½'s and German 5½'s.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

Dow Jones averages closed today as follows:

Thirty industrials, 146.76, off 2.35.
Twenty rails, 31.11, off .86.
Fifteen utilities, 23.97, off .71.
Forty bonds, 90.76, off .19.
Total sales, 660,000.

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(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
Air Reduction	80-2	60	60
Allied Chemicals	184	181	181
Allis Chalmers	43	41-8	42
Allied Stores	10-4	10	10
American Can	97-8	97	87
American Cyanamid	22	21	21-2
American L. & Z.	6-8		6-8
American Locomotive	26-4	25-5	25-5
American P. & L.	6-5	6-1	6-1
American Radiator	16-2	15-5	15-5
American Rolling Mills	19-4	19-2	19-2
American Smelter	46	45	45
American Tel. & Tel.	157-6	153-6	154-5
American Tobacco "B"	89-1	89	89-1
American Waterworks	14-1	13	13-4
Anaconda Copper	31-2	20-2	20-4
Atchison Railway	38-1	37-1	37-2
Atlantic Refining	22-7	22-4	22-4
B. & O. Railway	7-1	6-2	6-4
Baldwin Locomotive	15-2	14-4	14-4
Bendix Aviation	26-8	25-5	25-7
Beth Steel	71-7	69-4	69-7
Boeing	20-2	28-4	29
Borden	17-3	17-1	17-1
Borg Warner	29	27-4	28-4
Briggs	26	27-3	27-4
Canada Dry	19-4	16-9	18-7
C.P.R.	5-2	5-2	5-3
Caterpillar Trac.	48	45-8	48
Cerro de Pasco	44-2	42-2	42-2
C. & O. Railway	35	34-4	34-4
Chrysler	77	74-7	75-1
Columbia Gas	9	7-2	7-4
Commercial Credit	51-5	50	50
Commercial Solvent	11-6	11-2	11-2
Commonwealth & So.	1-7	1-6	1-7
Congoleum	27-2	27-1	27-2
Con. Edison	32-4	31-6	31-7
Cont. Can	40-7	40-4	40-4
Cont. Aircraft	22-4	21-6	21-8
Cont. Oil	8-7	9-8	8-7
Cont. Oil	29-4	28-4	28-4
Crown Zellerbach	13-7		13-7
Crucible Steel	43-4	42-1	42-2
Curtiss Wright	6-5	6-4	6-4
Curtiss Wright "A"	25-3	24-5	24-5
Deere & Co.	19-3	19	19
Douglas Aircraft	70	67-4	67-5
Dupont	150	149	149
Eastman Kodak	161-2		161-2
El Auto Lite	32-4	32	32-4
El Power & Lite	12-1	11-1	11-4
Fairbanks Morse	43	41-2	41-2
Freeport Texas	26-6	26-4	26-4
General Foods	39-7	37-5	39-7
Gen Electric	41-2	40	40-4
General Motors	47	45-7	46
Goodyear	34-4	33-2	33-6
Granby Copper	6-6	9-5	6-5
Great Northern	27-4	25-6	26
Great West Sugar	25-4	25-2	25-2
Houston Oil	7-2		7-2
Howe Sound	46-1	45	45-1
Hupmobile Motors	2	1-7	1-7
Inspiration Copper	15-1	14-7	14-7
Int Harvester	56-6	55-4	55-4
Int Nickel	52-7	52	52-1
Int Rayon	27-4	27	27
Int Tel	8-1	8-6	8-1
Ill Central	18	17-2	17-5
Johns Manville	100	99-4	99-4
Kennecott Copper	39-3	38-1	38-2
Kresge	21	20-7	21
Lambert Co	15-2	15-1	15-2
L & M Tobacco	107-2	102-4	102-4
Ludlum Steel	25	24-4	24-4
Loew's	50-5	49	49-6
Lorillard	22-3	22	22
Mack Truck	27	26-4	26-4
Mathieson Alkali	22		32
Mexican Seaboard	21-4	21-4	21-4
Monsanto Chemical	101-3	101-2	101-2
Montgomery Ward	49-4	48	43
Nash Kelvinator	9-1	8-5	8-5
National Biscuit	24-4	24-1	24-1
Nat Dairy	13	12-6	13
National Distillers	26-4	26-3	26-3
National Pow & Lite	8-6	8-2	8-2
New York Central	19-6	19	19-1
North American Co	24-5	23-4	23-7
North Am. Aviation	17-4	16-4	16-4
Northern Pacific	12-6	12	12-2
Ohio Oil	9-5	9-4	9-5
Owens Ill Glass	67	66-4	66-4
Pacific Gas & Elec.	29-6	29-4	29-6
Packard	4-3	4-2	4-2
Paramount Pictures	12-2	11-9	12
Penn Railway	21-3	21	21
People's Gas	39		39
Phillips Pete	43-3	39-6	39-6
Pullman	36-6	35-2	35-2
Pure Oil	10-3	10	10
Radio	7-6	7-3	7-2
Rem Rand	15	14-7	14-7
Republic Iron Steel	22-2	22	22-1
Reynold's Tob	42-8	42-4	42-4
Safeway Stores	35	33-6	34
Schenley	15-7	15-2	15-2
Sears Roebuck	72	71-4	71-4
Shell Union	13-4		13-4
Socony Vacuum	13-1	13	12
Southern Pacific	18-8	17-7	18
Southern Rly	20	19-4	19-7
Sperry Corp	43-2	43-2	44
Standard Brands	6-7	6-6	6-6
Standard Gas	4	3-7	3-7
Standard Oil, Cal.	28-1	27-6	27-6
Standard Oil, N.J.	50	49-5	49-5
Stewart Warner	11-4	11-2	11-2
Superior Oil	2-7		2-7
Studebaker	8-2	8	8
Texas Corp.	46-2	45-1	45-1
Texas Gulf	32-2	31-2	31-2
Timken	49-4	49	49-2
Trans. American	7	6-7	7
Twentieth Century Fox	22-3	23	23
Underwood Elliot	63-6		63-6
Union Carbide	86-2	67-2	87-2
Union Oil, Cal.	19-2		19-2
Union Pacific	95-6	95	95
United Aircraft	38-7	37	37
United Railroads	12	11-4	11-4
United Corp.	3-4	3-2	3-2
United Gas & Imp.	12-5	11-6	12-2
U.S. Pipe & Foundry	44	43-6	43-7
U.S. Realty	5		5
U.S. Rubber	47-4	45-6	46
U.S. Rubber pfd.	101-1	100	100
U.S. Smelting	57		57
U.S. Steel	63-6	62	62-3
Vanadium	27		27
Warner Bros.	5-6		5-6
Westing. Air Brake	28-4	28-1	28-1
Westinghouse Electric	111-4	109-9	109-8
Western Union	23	22-4	22-4
White Motor	12	11-6	11-6
Woolworth	50	49-7	49-7
Youngstown S. & T.	49-7	47-6	46
Zenith Radio	18-4	19	19

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NEW YORK, Jan. 21 (AP).—Quotations in cents.
Canada—Montreal in New York, 89.21½; New York in Montreal, 100.68½.
Belgium—16.90.
Czecho-Slovakia—3.42.
Denmark—20.89.
Finland—2.06½.
France—2.64 5-16.
Germany—40.05, travel 21.90.
Greece—88½.
Hungary—19.85.
Italy—5.28½.
Yugoslavia—2.24.
Netherlands—54.25½.
Norway—23.50.
Poland—18.92.
Portugal—4.25½.
Rumania—.76.
Sweden—24.08.
Switzerland—22.39.
Argentina—21.20.
Brazil—5.90.
Mexico City—20.25.
Japan—27.26.
Hongkong—29.18.
Shanghai—16.25.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 21 (AP).—Quotations in dollars: 4.67⅝ sixty-day bills 4.66½.
(Rates in spot cables, unless otherwise indicated.)

MARKET DULL IN WHEAT FUTURES

WINNIPEG, Jan. 21 (CP).—Wheat futures moved narrowly in dull trading on the Winnipeg market today.

At the close, quotations were unchanged to ⅛ cent lower, with May at 62⅞, July 63 and October 63¼ cents. No export sales of Canadian wheat were confirmed.

Overseas houses were credited with minor support early in the session together with some commission house demand brought out by United States frost forecast. Liverpool finished ¼d lower to unchanged.

Cash wheat trade continued to centre on the low grades of feed wheat. Pit trade in coarse grains was featureless.

WINNIPEG GRAIN
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Wheat—	P.C.	Open	High	Low	Close
May	62⅞	62⅞	62	62⅛	62⅞
July	62⅞	63	63¼	62	63
Oct	63⅛	63	63¼	63	63¼
Oats—					
May	29⅞	29⅞	29⅞	29	29⅞
July	29⅞	29	29	29⅛	29⅞
Oct	29				29
Rye—					
May	43	43	43¼	42⅞	43⅞
July	43⅞				43⅞
Barley—					
May	37	37⅞	37	37⅞	37
July	37⅛				37⅛

Cash Grain

Wheat—1 Hard, 59½; 1 Northern, 59⅝; 2 Northern, 58⅝; 3 Northern, 57⅝. No. 4, 48. No. 5, 40⅝. No. 6, 36⅝. Feed, 27⅛. Track, 59⅝. Amber Durums No. 1, 48⅝; No. 2, 45⅝. No. 3, 43⅝. No. 4, 42⅝. Track, 46⅝. Garnet No. 1, 52⅛. No. 2, 49⅝. No. 3, 43⅝.

Oats—2 C.W., 29⅛. 3 C.W., 29⅛. Ex. 1 Feed, 27⅛. 1 Feed, 26⅝. 2 Feed, 24⅝. 2 Feed, 22⅝. Track, 29⅞.

Barley—2 R.O.W., 39⅛. 6 R.O.W. 39⅛. 3 C.W., 38⅛. 4 C.W., 24⅝. 5 C.W., 33⅝. 6 C.W., 22⅝. Track, 26⅞.

Rye—2 N.W.C., 142. 2 C.W., 139. 3 C.W., 128. 4 C.W. 121. Track, 144.

Rye—1 C.W. 40⅞. 2 C.W., 40⅞. 3 C.W., 37⅞. Rejected No. 2, 34⅝. 4 C.W., 33⅝. Track, 40⅞.

CHICAGO GRAIN
(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

Wheat—	P.C.	Open	High	Low	Close
May	69	69⅞	69⅞	69⅛	69
July	69⅞	69⅞	69⅞	69⅛	69
Sept	70⅛	70⅛	70	70	70⅛
Corn—					
May	52⅛	52	52⅛	51⅞	51⅞
July	53⅛	52⅞	53⅛	52⅛	52⅞
Sept	53	53⅛	53	52⅞	52⅞
Oats—					
May	29	29	29	28⅞	29
July	27⅞	27⅞	27⅞	27⅞	27⅞
Sept.	27⅞	27	27⅞	27⅞	27⅞
Rye—					
May		46⅞	46⅞	46⅞	46⅞
July		47⅞	47⅞	47⅞	47⅞
Sept.		46⅞	46⅞	46⅞	46⅞

EGG MARKET

These prices are obtained daily from the office of the Dominion Government Poultry Products Inspection Service, Victoria, E 8622:

Grade "A" large	19
Grade "A" medium	17
Grade "A" pullet	16

Following are city wholesale:

Grade "A" large	23
Grade "A" medium	21
Grade "A" pullet	20

FOREIGN CURRENCIES COMPILED ON BASIS OF CANADIAN DOLLAR

MONTREAL, Jan. 21 (CP).—British and foreign exchange closed easier today. Nominal rates for large amounts:

Australia, pound, 3.7598; China, Hongkong dollar, .2934; France, franc, .026585; Germany, reichsmark, .4034; Great Britain, pound, 4.7092; Hungary, pengo, .1964; India, rupee, .3525; Japan, yen, .2748; Yugoslavia, dinar, .0233; New Zealand pound, 3.7901; Norway, krone, .2367; South Africa, pound, 4.6856; Sweden, krona, .2427; Switzerland, franc, .2276; United States, dollar, 21-32 per cent premium.

Montreal Produce

MONTREAL, Jan. 21 (CP).—Canadian Commodity Exchange: Butter—Spot: Quebec (92 score), 22½ to 22¾; (38 score), b21½. Futures, January, 22¼ to 23; February, 22¼ to 22⅞; March, 22¼ to 23¼.

MACASSA MINES

TORONTO, Jan. 21 (CP).—Net profit of Macassa Mines in the fourth quarter of 1938 was estimated today at $231,723, compared with $165,885 in the corresponding three months of 1937. Production in the period was valued at $560,291 and operating profit at $297,310.

PRICES BREAK IN TORONTO MARKET

TORONTO, Jan. 21 (CP).—Stocks registered a sizeable break in today's trading on the Toronto exchange, reflecting foreign weakness on disturbing news from Germany.

National Steel Car declined 1 3-8 on trade of only 157 shares, Steel of Canada lost 1 1-2 and Dominion Foundries was down 1 1-4 in light action. Page-Hersey dropped a point. Fractional losses were boarded by Walkers common, B.-A. Oil, International Petroleum, Brazilian, and Distillers-Seagrams.

A few junior golds, including Augite, Broulan and Naybob, traded actively at losses of 3 to 7 cents. Pickle Crow dropped 15 cents. Senior golds held steady. Macassa gained 15 cents and Lamaque was off 10 cents.

Noranda recorded a decline of 1 1-2 and Consolidated Smelters weakened 3-4. Sherritt closed at 1.17, off 8.

Losses were limited to a few cents in Western oils. Home touched 2.76 and closed at 2.80 for a net loss of 6 cents. The close was down 2 to 4 cents for Calgary-Edmonton, Okalta and Davies.

MINING SECTION
(Island Investment Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Acme	07	08
Ajax	16	20
Aldermac	41	42
Bagamac	19	21
Bankfield	10	11
Base Metals	22	26
Beattie	1.33	1.34
Big Missouri	.28	.30
Bobjo	15	18
Bralorne	11.00	11.25
Buffalo Ankerite	14.50	15.00
C. & E. Corpn.	2.20	2.21
Canadian Malartic	.93	.99
Cariboo Gold Quartz	2.27	2.29
Castle Trethewey	.93	1.00
Central Patricia	2.35	2.60
Chemical Research	.45	.50
Chibougamau	.25	.26
Coast Copper	2.00	2.75
Cobalt	1.40	1.52
Coniagas	12.25	13.00
Eldorado	2.07	2.10
Falconbridge	5.20	5.30
Goodfish Lake	.23	.25
Gunnar	.50	.55
Hard Rock	1.72	1.73
Hollinger	14.00	14.50
Home Oil	2.78	2.80
Hudson Bay M. & S.	33.75	34.50
Intl. Nickel	52.25	52.75
Kerland Lake	1.30	1.34
Lakeshore	43.75	45.00
Leitch Gold	.60	.63
Little Long Lac	3.25	3.35
Macassa	5.55	5.80
McIntyre	53.50	54.00
McKenzie Red Lake	1.25	1.26
McLeod Cockshutt	2.65	2.66
McWatters	.62	.69
Mining Corpn.	1.75	1.64
Minuta	1.35	1.38
Morris-Kirkland	.19	.19
Nipissing	1.70	1.80
Noranda	32.00	40.25
O'Brien	2.80	2.95
Pamour	4.40	4.50
Pickle Crow	2.00	2.25
Pend Oreille	.53	.55
Perron Gold	1.65	1.70
Pickle Crow	1.64	1.66
Pioneer	5.20	5.25
Premier	2.61	2.50
Preston	2.17	2.20
Reno	.31	.34
Royalite Oil	40.00	41.00
San Antonio	1.25	1.27
Sherritt-Gordon	1.17	1.20
Sisco	1.42	1.45
Sladen Malartic	.70	.72
Stadacona	.58	.59
Sudbury Basin	2.55	2.70
Sullivan	.90	.92
Sylvanite	3.65	3.70
Teck-Hughes	4.35	4.40
Toburn	2.00	2.10
Uchi Lake	1.45	1.46
Ventures	5.35	5.40
Wright-Hargreaves	6.50	8.55

INDUSTRIAL SECTION
(Island Investment Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
B.A. Oils	22	22⅛
B.C. Power "A"	22	23½
B.C. Power "B"		2
Bell Telephone	167½	169
Brazilian Traction	8	8⅛
Canada Cement	8	8⅛
Canadian Car & Foundry	15⅞	16
Canadian General Electric		22½
Canadian Pacific	5⅛	5⅞
Cockshutt Plow	7⅛	7⅞
Consolidated Smelters	33⅞	34
Distillers-Seagrams	16⅞	19
Dominion Bridge	34	35
Dominion Stores	5⅞	6
Dominion Tar & Chemical	6	6⅛
Gatineau Pwr.	12	12⅞
Gatineau Pfd.	86	89⅞
General Steelwares	7	7⅞
Gypsum	5	5⅞
Hamilton Bridge	5	6
Hiram Walker	47	48⅛
Imperial Oil	16⅛	16⅞
Intl. Petroleum	26⅛	26⅞
Imperial Tobacco	15⅞	16
Intl. Nickel	52⅛	52⅞
Industrial Alcohol "A"	2	2⅞
Lake of the Woods	16	17
Laura Secord	12⅛	13
Montreal Power	30⅛	30⅞
McColl-Frontenac	6⅞	6⅞
National Steel Car	57	57
National Breweries	41	42½
Page Hersey	101	103
Power Corpn.	11	11⅞
Steel of Canada	74	76⅛
Steel of Canada Pfd.	72	
Banks		
Canadian Bank of Commerce	173	177
Bank of Montreal	207	220
Bank of Nova Scotia	300	306
Royal Bank	189	190

Dominion Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

		Bid	Asked
Dom. of Can.	1940 4½%	104.375	105.375
"	1941 5	108.275	109.275
"	1943 5	112.50	113.50
"	1944 4	111.50	112.50
"	1945 4	108.00	109.00
"	1946 4	112.125	113.125
"	1949 2½%	104.375	105.375
"	1952 4	108.00	109.00
"	1958 4	112.00	113.00
"	1959 4	112.625	113.625
"	1963 3	99.50	100.50
"	1965 3½	101.75	102.625
"	Perp. 3	92.25	94.375
"	1949 2½	103.275	104.375
"	1951 3½%	102.50	103.50
"	1958 3	96.75	99.75
"	1967 3	99.25	100.25
DOMINION GUARANTEES			
Can. Nat. Rly.	1941 4	115.25	116.00
"	1957 4	116.50	117.00
"	1955 4½	118.375	119.125
"	July, 1960 5	116.00	116.75
"	Oct. 1969 5	119.50	120.25
"	1954 5	119.25	120.00
"	1953 3	99.00	99.50
"	1944 3	104.25	105.00
"	1930 3	98.875	100.375
Grand Trunk	1962 3	99.75	100.00
"	1962 4	109.75	
Can. Nor. Rly.	1968 3	102.00	

Foreign Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

		Bid	Asked
Australia 4½%	1956	96.00	97.00
Bolivia 8	1969	3.875	4.25
Chile 6	1961	17.75	18.25
Colombia 7	1961	22.25	22.75
French 4½%	1949	105.00	
German 7%	1945	19.00	19.50
Italy 6	1951	73.00	74.25
Japan 6½	1954	84.875	
Norway 6	1944	99.00	100.00
Peru 5½	1961	10.25	10.50
Sydney 4½	1955	99.00	100.00
United Kingdom	1990	100.25	101.25

Above prices in New York.

SILVER MARKETS

MONTREAL, Jan. 21 (CP).—Silver futures closed steady and unchanged today. Bids: January, 41.60; February, 41.10.

Selling Wave Sends Prices Downward on Vancouver Exchange

VANCOUVER, Jan. 21 (CP).—Prices turned lower in a light selling wave on Vancouver Stock Exchange Saturday after a week of mixed trends. Transfers for the three-hour session totaled 92,085 shares.

Interest was divided between gold and oil stocks with the former taking a slight lead. Hedley Mascot with a turnover of 8,100 shares declined 2 cents at 1.40, while similar losses were posted in Premier at 2.23 and Kootenay Belle at 1.50. Dentonia was fractionally lower at 5¼ and Reno was off a cent at 31. Privateer, also moderately active, lost 9 cents at 1.11. Bralorne closed at 11.00, ten cents above Friday's closing bid.

Home Oil dropped 15 cents at 2.75 while Calgary & Edmonton at 2.21, Calmont at 42 and Okalta at 1.21 each declined 4 cents. West Turner slipped 1 at 5 and Anaconda at 11 and Royal Canadian at 18⅛, cased fractions. Unchanged issues included Mar Jon at 7, Model at 36 and Highwood Sarcee at 20.

Whitewater topped light activity in the base metal group and held unchanged at 4, while Reeves MacDonald firmed 1 at 26.

VANCOUVER QUOTATIONS
(Boorman Investment Co., Ltd.)

Mines	Bid	Asked
Big Missouri	25	26
Bralorne	10.80	11.00
Bridge River Consolidated	.02½	.03½
Bluebird	.01	
Carbon Gold	2.33	2.37
Dentonia	.03½	.05½
Fairview Amalgamated	.03	.03½
Goldar Copper		33
Georgia River		.03
Golconda	.04	.05
Gold Belt	.59	.60
Gold Mountain		
Grandview	.05	.06
Grull Wihkane	.05	.06
Hedley Mascot	1.39	1.40
Home Gold	.00½	.01
Island Mountain	1.32	1.27
Kootenay Belle	1.48	1.52
Lucky Jim	.02	.02½
Mak Siccar	.01½	.02
McGillivary Creek	.23	
Minto	.02½	
Nicola	.03½	.04
Noble Five	.03	.03½
Pend Oreille	1.60	1.70
Pilot Gold	.00½	.01
Pioneer	2.80	2.93
Porter-Idaho	.03	.03½
Premier	2.20	2.23
Premier Border	.01	.01½
Privateer	1.10	1.14
Quatsino Copper	.03½	.04
Reeves Macdonald	.26	
Relief Arlington	.12	
Reno	.31	.32
Reward	.04	.05
Rufus Argenta	.01	.01
Sally	.02	
Salmon Gold	.10	.10
Sheep Creek	.97	1.00
Silbak Premier	1.72	1.75
Silvercrest	.01½	.02
Sunlock	.09	
Taylor Bridge		.07½
Victette	.05½	.06
Waverley	.00½	
Wellington	.01½	
Wesko		.01
Whitewater	.04	.04½
Ymir Yankee Girl	.05	.06
Oils		
Anglo Canadian	1.25	1.25
Associated	.08	
Amalgamated	.00½	.01
Anaconda	.11	.12
A.P. Consolidated	.17	.19
Baltac		.04
British Dominion	.12	
C. & E. Corp.	2.20	2.30
Calmont	.43	.44
Commonwealth	.25	
Crow's Nest	.00½	.01
Davies Pete	.40	
Earl Crest		.09
Freehold	.04	.05
Firestone Pete	.10	
Foothills	.71	.81
Foundation	.11	
Highwood Sarcee	.19	.20
Home (A)	2.73	2.75
Madison		.08
Mar Jon	.06½	.08
McDousell Segur	.14	.16
Mid-West Pete	.03	
Model	.34	.29
Monarch	.08	
Okalta	1.12	1.25
Pacalta	.07	
Prairie Royalties	.21	
Royal Canadian	.17½	.19
Royalite	36.00	41.00
South-West Pete	.40	.55
Sunset	.32	
United Oil	.11	.13
Vanalta	.07	.10
Vulcan	.65	
West Flank	.05	
West Turner	.06	.06½
Industrials		
Brewers & Distillers	4.00	
Capital Estates	1.10	
Coast Breweries	1.16	1.20
United Distillers	.70	.75

LOSSES WIDE IN MONTREAL MART

MONTREAL, Jan. 21 (CP).—A last-hour selling onslaught knocked Montreal Stock Market leaders off their feet today, bringing wide losses.

As selling pressure increased, Noranda tumbled more than a point to 79, while declines of sizeable fractions were posted in Nickel, Smelters and Hudson Bay Mining.

In rail equipments, National Steel Car lost more than a point in brisk selling.

Declines of fractions to a point appeared in Canadian Car, Dosco, Price Brothers, St. Lawrence Corporation preferred, Bathurst, Howard Smith, and Dryden.

On the curb market, Home Oil slipped 10 to 2.80.

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS
(James Richardson & Sons)

	Bid	Asked
Bathurst Paper	8	8⅛
Building Products	16	16⅞
Canadian Northern Power	15½	17
Canadian Steamships	2⅞	2
Canadian Steamships, Pfd.	9	9½
Canadian Car & Foundry	16	16⅞
Can. Car & Foundry	16	16⅞
Can. Car & Foundry Pfd.	33	33⅞
Canadian Celanese, Pfd.	102	102⅞
Canadian Converters	7	7⅞
Canadian Alcohol "A"	2	2⅞
Consolidated Smelters	53	54
Crown Cork	25	27
Dominion Bridge	35	35½
Dominion Coal, Pfd.	16⅛	16½
Dominion Coal "B"	11	11½
Dominion Tar	6⅛	6
Dominion Tar, Pfd.	77	77
Dominion Textile	58	59
Gatineau Power, Pfd.	88	90
Hamilton Bridge	30	32
Hamilton Bridge, Pfd.	30	30
Hollinger	14½	15
Howard Smith	12	12½
Howard Smith, Pfd.	93	94
Hudson Bay M. & S.	35½	35⅞
International Nickel	52⅛	52
International Petroleum	28	28⅞
Lake of the Woods	48	50
Mason-Harris	6	6
Mason-Harris Pfd.	40	41
McColl-Frontenac, Pfd.	86	87
Page Hersey	102	104
Royalite Oil		41
Hiram Walker	47	48
Hiram Walker, Pfd.		20½
Banks		
Bank of Commerce	173	177
Bank of Montreal	209	219
Banque du Nationale	164	169

Bond Quotations

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

		Bid	Asked
Alberta 4½	1954	59.50	57.50
Alberta 5	1955	92.00	93.00
British Columbia 4	1957	93.50	94.50
British Columbia 4	1952	99.00	99.00
British Columbia 5	1954	101.50	102.00
Manitoba 4	1940	90.00	92.00
Manitoba 5	1958	89.00	91.00
New Brunswick 6	1961	105.50	107.00
Nova Scotia 2	1954	95.625	96.50
Ontario 3	1964	99.00	99.75
Quebec 5	1961	96.75	97.00
Saskatchewan 4	1961	75.00	
Saskatchewan 5	1962	87.75	88.00
Saskatchewan 6	1942	78.00	80.00

(Toronto Wholesale Prices)

Dollar Makers

By GEORGE T. EAGER

THE GOLDEN RULE STILL WORKS

"Do as you would be done by," which is a modern version of the Golden Rule, is still being used in business even if it has been forgotten in international affairs.

An outstanding New York department store added thousands of good accounts to its books by creating a customers' advisory group. It asked its customers for advice and help. The customers gave it the suggestions were used, and the store profited.

Another big New York department store offered a budget service to its customers, gave them practical advice on making both ends meet within the limits of their incomes. The service was free. It helped many families get more for their money. And it made loyal friends—customers who won't shop anywhere else.

Similar plans have been used by a national mail order and retail organization, a big automobile manufacturer, and other large corporations—with the same results. People say "thanks" with orders.

All these corporations agree that such a plan of customer help must be rooted in the customer's needs and must be sincere. That has been true of all the plans that have been successful.

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New York Curb

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Amer. Cyanamide "B"	24	24⅞
Amer. Super Power	0⅛	0⅞
Amer. Gas & Electric	35	35⅞
Assoc. Gas & Electric "A"	0⅛	0⅞
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SIDNEY CHURCH OFFICERS NAMED

Annual Vestry Meeting of St. Andrew's Held in Parish Hall—Encouraging Reports

SIDNEY, Jan. 21.—The annual vestry meeting of St. Andrew's Church was held in the Parish Hall recently when an excell nt attendance was registered. Reports of the churchwardens, the Women's Guild, the various branches of the Women's Auxiliary, and the Sunday school were read and adopted.

The election of church officers resulted in Owen Thomas being named rector's warden; R. Coates as people's warden; and the church committee consisting of Mesdames Toomer and King, and Messrs. Baal, Bosher, Carter, Ramsay, Skinner, White, W. Wilson and Dr. Newton. The representatives to the diocesan synod are R. Coates and J. J. White.

Mrs. Thomas and Miss Matthews were elected representatives on the ruridecanal conference.

SIDESMEN NAMED

The following sidesmen were appointed: Gordon Brethour, A. Cochran, R. Mounce, L. Roberts and W. Wilson, with E. Carter as head sidesman.

The rector paid tribute to the loyalty and good will of the church officers and to all who had otherwise assisted the parish so well during the past year and expressed to them, particularly to the late people's warden, H. Carter, the gratitude of the parishioners.

A comprehensive survey was made of the matters surrounding Holy Trinity Cemetery, and the meeting was of the opinion that should the recommendations as outlined by the rector be carried out an amicable and permanent settlement would be quickly reached.

Preparing Lions To Guard Bridge

VANCOUVER, Jan. 21 (CP).—Two massive concrete lions which will crouch at the Stanley Park entrance to Lion's Gate Bridge will be hoisted into place early Monday morning.

They were placed in position for the crane crews yesterday afternoon.

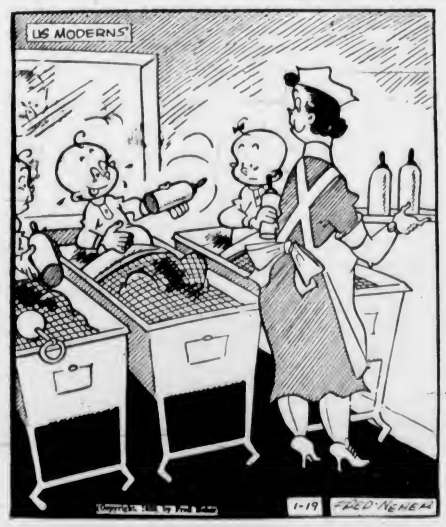
TIME OUT! - - - By Chet Smith

The hunting's so good here we've got a traffic cop to prevent traffic jams!

Look at old Prof. Potterby out there showing 'off!

This is th' address, Clancy—mebby there's a mistake.

LIFE'S LIKE THAT - By Fred Neher



"Boy, I needed that!"

ROY POWERS, KING'S SCOUT - - -

Reviewed and Approved by Dominion Headquarters, The Boy Scouts' Association.

APPLE MARY - - - - - - - - By Martha Orr

TODDY *Page Uncle Mark!* By George Marcoux

BIG CHIEF WAHOO - - - - - - By Saunders and Woggon

POPEYE - - - -

POP *No Choice* By J. Millar Watt

TILLIE THE TOILER *Quiet, Please!* By Westover

Business and Professional Directory, Want Ads

The Daily Colonist

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1 BIRTHS

WEBER—At the Jubilee Hospital, on January 21, to Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Weber, 2001 Cameron Street, a daughter.

HANSON—To Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Hanson, at King's Daughters' Hospital, Duncan, a son, on Friday, January 20.

LAWE—January 18, at St. Joseph's Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Lawe (nee Grace Murray), Snowdrop Ave., Marigold, a son.

McFADYEN—At the Jubilee Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Hector McFadyen, 2084 Quimper Street, January 18, a daughter, Ann Lillian.

2 DEATHS

FAREY—Mrs. Selina Farey passed away in the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Saturday, January 21, aged sixty-four years. She was born in London, England, and had been a resident of Victoria for the past twenty-five years. She is survived by her husband, George Farey; four sons, Albert, in London; Art, George and Edward, and one daughter, Mrs. Ellen Renaud, all of Victoria.

The remains are resting in the chapel of Sands Mortuary Ltd. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

DUKE—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Saturday afternoon, Eliza Baird Duke, wife of Ernest Duke, of Holland Avenue, Saanich. Besides her husband she is mourned by two sons, John E. and Robert C., and three grandchildren.

The remains are resting at McCall Brothers' Funeral Home, from where the cortege will proceed on Monday afternoon to St. Michael's Church, Royal Oak, leaving the chapel at 3 o'clock for services in the church at 3.30 o'clock. Rev. Canon S. J. Wickens will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in the churchyard.

HARDWICK—At the family residence on Centre Road, Sidney, on Friday afternoon, Annie Edith Frances Hardwick, aged seventy-seven years, wife of Richard Hardwick. The late Mrs. Hardwick was born in Franklin, Ontario, and had been a resident of Sidney for the last twenty years. She is mourned by, besides her husband, two nieces, Misses Edith and Florence Lumsden, of Vancouver, and a nephew, Frank Lumsden, of Vancouver, and two nieces, Violet Lumsden and Ida Goddard in Edmonton, Alberta.

The funeral will take place on Monday afternoon from McCall Brothers' Funeral Home at 2 o'clock. Rev. T. R. Lancaster will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park. (Winnipeg papers please copy.)

MERRIX—In this city there passed away Saturday, January 21, Mary Elizabeth Merrix, of 1376 Monterey Avenue, Oak Bay. Born at Westfield, Sussex, England, the late Mrs. Merrix, who was eighty-seven years of age, had resided at Toronto, Ont., and later Vancouver, before moving to this city ten years ago. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. J. Burden, Monterey Ave.; two brothers, Harry and Alfred Neeves, in England; a granddaughter, Mrs. C. Ivinas, of 1916 Lulie Street; a grandson, Kenneth J. Burden, Monterey Ave.; also two great-granddaughters.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the parlors of the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Rev. O. L. Jull will officiate, and interment will take place in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

4 CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Mrs. Edward Lester desire to express their heartfelt thanks to their many friends and various organizations for their expressions of sympathy during their recent sad bereavement.

Mr. H. D. Day thanks all the friends of the late Mrs. Day who so kindly sent flowers to the hospital during her illness; they were very much appreciated. He also offers his heartfelt thanks to the many friends who have sent him such kind letters and messages of sympathy, and asks those who have not been thanked individually kindly to accept this notice instead of a personal letter.

5 IN MEMORIAM

ROBERTS—In loving memory of our dear brother, William P. Roberts, who passed away January 22, 1938.

Time speeds on, a year has passed
Since death its gloom, its shadow cast
Within our home, when all seemed bright,
And took from us a shining light.
We miss that light, and ever will;
His vacant place there's none to fill.
Down here we mourn, but not in vain,
For in Heaven we'll meet again.
—Inserted by his brother Sid and sister Bessie and family.

5 IN MEMORIAM (Continued)

ROBERTS—In ever loving memory of our dear husband and father, William P. Roberts, who passed away January 22, 1938.

We do not forget him, we love him too dearly
For his memory to fade from our lives like a dream;
Our lips need not speak when our hearts mourn sincerely,
For grief often dwells where it seldom is seen.
—Ever remembered by his loving wife and son, Lovaday and Joe.

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1211 Douglas Street Phone G 2421
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CUT FLOWERS AND DESIGNS

8 MONUMENTAL WORKS

STEWART MONUMENTAL WORKS, LTD. Take No. 6 car to works. 1401 May Street. Phone G 3452

10 COMING EVENTS

ATTENTION — ALL PATRONS WITH the initial "E" admitted free at the old-time dance, A.O.F., January 25. It being Burns' anniversary, will feature Scottish dances. Stewart's orchestra 8.30-12.30. Refreshments. 35c.

A BIG OLD-TIME DANCE, A.O.F. HALL, this Saturday, 8-12. CFCT, 8 p.m. Haymakers six-piece band. Prizes, supper. 35c. Join the happy gang.

AT HONGKONG CAFE, 550 FISGARD—Dine and dance every Wednesday and Saturday night, orchestra; other nights dance to pianist. No cover charge.

A POPULAR OLD-TIME DANCE AT Lake Hill, Saturday, 8-12. Irvine's orchestra; refreshments, prizes; tombolas. 35c.

AT LAKE HILL, WEDNESDAY, IRvine's old-time dance, 20c. Bigger every week.

AT PLAYFAIR CLUB, 1230 GOVERNment. Whist nightly, 8.45. Good cash prizes. Afternoon games.

C.C.F. MEETING, ROOM 9, ARCADE Bldg., Sunday, 8 p.m. Subject, "Education." Attend this popular event.

FERGUS McKEAN, PROVINCIAL SECretary of Communist Party, will address a public meeting on the subject of world affairs at a Lenin Memorial, Sunday, 7.30, at English Bakery Hall, 724 Fort St. Collection.

FREE MAGIC SHOW WEDNESDAY, 8 p.m. Adults only. Central Whist Club.

INAUGURAL DANCE OF THE V.H.S. Alumni, Crystal Garden, February 3. Bert Zala's Orchestra and entertainment. Alumni members and friends. Admission, 35c. Tickets at Johnnie's Coffee Shop, 859 Fort, through the courtesy of Mr. Coles. Membership maybe obtained at the Grand Spot, 707 Yates Street.

KEATING BADMINTON CLUB DANCE, Thursday, February 2, 1939, Temperance Hall, Keating. Len Acres' orchestra. Dancing 9-1. Refreshments. Admission 50 cents.

OLD-TIME DANCING CLASSES, SONS of England Hall, Monday night, 8-11. Scottie MacKenzie, Instructor. Admission 35c.

PRAIRIE CLUB — MANITOBA WEEK. Men invited to meet former residents and visitors of Manitoba afternoons this week. Woolworth Bldg.

SKATING SESSIONS, 751 VIEW STREET—Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday afternoon 3.30 to 6; Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday evenings, 8 to 11 o'clock. Beginners 1 to 3.30 p.m. Wednesday and Saturday. Admission: Afternoons, 15c; evenings, gentlemen 25c, ladies 20c; including skates.

ST. ANDREW'S AND CALEDONIAN SOciety Burns night concert and dance, A.O.F. Hall, Cormorant St., Friday, January 27, at 8 p.m. Refreshments, haggis, Irvine's orchestra. Tickets, 50 cents, to be had at the Horseshoe News Stand, Government Street.

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Oak Bay Theatre Ballroom
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13 WANTED—MALE HELP

ENGINEERS COACHED FOR STATIONary, marine and Diesel certificates. Phone G 8167.

OPPORTUNITY FOR WILLING WORKER with small amount of cash to handle contract. Money returnable, good earnings, bonus. Give phone number. Box 2595, Colonist.

WANTED — TWO MIDDLE-AGED MEN for farm work, single, must understand cows and chickens thoroughly. Box 3657, Colonist.

WANTED MAN TO ATTEND TO SMALL apartment block, Jubilee Hospital district. Part time only. Apply Box 3625, Colonist.

WANTED—BOXING INSTRUCTOR FOR residential school, two afternoons per week. Apply Box 3521, Colonist.

13A SALESMEN AND AGENTS

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A REAL DOUBLE LOAD OF CINDERS, $3. Old manure, rock, soil. G 3486

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WILL TRADE 9-TUBE G.E. RADIO FOR wood or anything of a useful nature. Mr. Lee. E 1171.

42 POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK

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White Leghorns, Heavy Breeds and First Crosses
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BEST PRICES PAID FOR BEEF, HOGS, veal and canner cows. Hubbard. E 0868

GUERNSEY - JERSEY COW, GOOD milker, cheap for cash. S. Lee, Violet Ave., Marigold.

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TWO COWS, DUE THIS MONTH, FOR sale or trade for horses or hay. A. Harknett, Ralph Street.

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42F DOGS

BENVARDEN KENNELS, CADBORO Bay. Highly pedigreed cocker puppies for sale. Dogs boarded by animal lovers. At stud: Windridge Tanquilla. E 2053

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WANTED, TOY BOSTON OR CAIRN puppy, female, reasonable price. Box 3585, Colonist.

42G CATS

HOME WANTED FOR YOUNG TABBY male cat. E 5474

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42X MISCELLANEOUS

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47 ROOM AND BOARD

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49 ROOMS TO RENT

COLUMBIA ROOMS, PANDORA AT Broad. Housekeeping or furnished rooms. Hot and cold water. G 2315

OXFORD HOUSE, 749½ Fort. Housekeeping rms., h.-c. water, $2.50 wk. G 5198

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49A FURNISHED

CECIL Hotel, 1222 Blanshard St. Rooms with or without bath, reasonable rates.

FAIRFIELD HOTEL, OPPOSITE CITY Hall. Comfortable Winter quarters. Well-heated rooms from $3. Housekeeping privileges. Props. Scrufon & Nunn.

FOR BUSINESS PERSON OF QUIET habits, sitting-room, bedroom, private bath, well heated, continuous hot water, gas if desired, near Junction. E 5574

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RITZ HOTEL, 710 FORT, BEDROOMS, suites, housekeeping rooms, elevator; central. Reasonable rates. G 7158

51 HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS TO RENT

CLIFTON HOUSE—H.K. OR SLEEPING, $2.50 week up. 1319½ Broad. E 8034

H.K. ROOMS, QUIET, HEATED, GOOD location, close car and town. E 7079

LARGE FRONT H.K., $12; SINGLE, $10. 1119 Princess. G 3670

430 DALLAS, H.W. HEAT, MODERN. Near car. Room $10. Suite $15. E 7462

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ATTRACTIVE HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS, Devonshire House. Inspect this warm, quiet hotel for Winter comfort. 722 Fort St.

A COMFORTABLE SINGLE ROOM, $10, close in. 1114 Ormond. F 1953.

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AT PENRYN, 1031 PANDORA—QUIET, warm, furnished housekeeping rooms.

AT PARK — QUIET, WARM, SINGLE Kitchenette. 417 Vancouver. E 2485

AT 936 COLLINSON, CLEAN, WARM room, close in, reasonable.

BED-SITTING ROOMS, KITCHEN, REfined home, quiet. 307 Vancouver St.

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CLEAN, WARM ROOM, QUIET HOME, near Hudson's Bay. E 9952

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LARGE HOUSEKEEPING ROOM, FURNished, cook stove, couple, $2 per week, single, $1.50; includes light, phone, water. 2018 Chambers St. E 9757.

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LARGE FURNISHED LIGHT HOUSEkeeping room, seafront. 802 Dallas Road.

ONE HOUSEKEEPING ROOM, GAS, phone included. 841 Broughton Street. G 1726.

SINGLE HEATED ROOMS, CENTRAL, gas, phone, $10 up. 829 Pandora. E 9248.

TWO BRIGHT, WARM ROOMS, kitchenette, garage. Every convenience. 1115 Princess.

WARM, CLEAN, BRIGHT HOUSEKEEPing room, h.c.w. E 8502. 1157 Johnson Street.

51B UNFURNISHED

ONE AND TWO ROOMS FOR RENT, unfurnished. 532 Simcoe Street.

PRIVATE HOME, SELECT NEIGHBORhood, furnace heat, continuous hot water, walking distance. E 1673.

53 FLATS AND APARTMENTS TO RENT

AVAILABLE FEBRUARY 1—FOUR-ROOM sunny apartment, overlooking sea, Gonzales Heights. Automatic heating, electric range, Frigidaire, fireplace, garage. Apply 1368 Crescent Road. Phone E 2272.

AT GEORGIAN, MOSS ST. NEAR FORT — Three-room apartment, fully modern, exclusive neighborhood, reasonable rental. E 5540.

APARTMENT, FURNISHED, TWO AND three rooms, from $14.50 to $25. Close to High School. 751 Pandora. Owner, E 2848.

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ATTRACTIVE, BRIGHT, TWO-ROOM furnished apartment, well heated, gas, etc. E 0966.

AT RIDEAU APTS., GOVERNMENT AND Michigan Streets, modern 4-roomed suite, unfurnished, adults, $37.50. G 2810.

ALSA MANSIONS—FURN OR UNFURnished excellently serviced. E 9061.

APARTMENTS — FULLY FURNISHED, self-contained, reasonable rates. E 0072.

AT MONTROSE APT. HOTEL — FURnished suite; all modern conveniences.

ATTRACTIVE SUITE NEAR PARK, SEA, three rooms, $18. G 2187. 249 Cook.

BURDETT APTS., 855 VANCOUVER ST. — Unfurnished three-room apt. E 2143 or E 7174.

BRIGHT, ATTRACTIVE, FIVE-ROOM unfurn. apt. Select dist. Oak Bay. Close bus, car, golf links. E 3288.

COSY TWO AND THREE-ROOM UNFURnished suites; reasonable, newly decorated. 670 Battery.

CLEAN APARTMENTS, TWO AND THREE rooms, furnished, unfurnished. Low rentals. 503 Montreal.

DUPLEX 4-ROOM, 2 BEDROOMS, NEW oak floor in living-room, new bathroom linoleum in all other rooms. 3-piece bathroom. Rent $23. 1425 Fort. E 2211.

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AVAILABLE FEBRUARY 1

WARM, BRIGHT 2-ROOM SUITE IN apartment building. This suite commands an excellent view and is close to the park and city centre. Electric stove and Frigidaire. Pembroke bath with shower, lots of hot water. Linen, Living-room. All rooms nicely decorated. Rent $40.

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1-ROOM SUITE, UNFURNISHED, AT 1308 Douglas. Apply Cross' Market.

1- AND 2-ROOM SUITES—LIGHT HEAT included. Scott Apartments. G 0259.

54 FLATS AND APARTMENTS WANTED

1- OR 3-ROOM UNFURNISHED APARTment, walking distance 525 Cloverdale, over one person. Urgent. Box 3626, Colonist.

55 HOUSES TO RENT

AN ATTRACTIVE, MODERN, 7-ROOM house in Oak Bay for rent, furnished or unfurnished. Immediate possession. Apply THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY, 1302 Government St. Phone E 4126.

55 HOUSES TO RENT

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55A FURNISHED

A FOUR-ROOM, MODERN BUNGALOW, garage. 1815 Crescent Road. G 6478.

FURNISHED, TWO BEDROOMS, DINing-room, kitchen, phone, water, $25. 2251 Pandora Avenue. Owner, E 2848.

FOUR-ROOM BUNGALOW, LARGE garden, adults. References. E 0293.

HOUSE, 5 ROOMS, ON QU'APPELLE; $18. Colquitz 89W.

SMALL, MODERN COTTAGES, AT LOW Winter rates. Greenwood Park Auto Court. G 4296.

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55B UNFURNISHED

1636 HAMPSHIRE RD. — 6 rooms, newly decorated $22.50
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766 OLIVER ST. — 5 rooms, electric range, garden $45.00

PEMBERTON & SON, LTD. 625 Fort Street. Phone G 8124

2424 LINCOLN, 6 rooms, stucco $30.00
1138 OSCAR, 8 rooms, garage 22.50
1288 BEACH, 5 rooms, duplex 43.00
1060 ROCKLAND, 10 rooms, Oil-o-matic 50.00

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1677 FORT ST. — 8 rooms 17.50
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BUNGALOW TO RENT UNFURNISHED

CLOSE TO WATER—6 rooms, all good floors, modern 3-piece bath. Garage, furnace and basement. 250 St. Charles Street. For further particulars see Chas. R. Bishop.

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FOR RENT — MODERN SIX-ROOMED house, enclosed sun porch, furnace, garage. 639 Harbinger Avenue, Vacant February 10. Apply Cameron Investment & Securities Co., Ltd. Phone E 6514.

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FAIRFIELD MODERN, FIVE-ROOM cottage, near school, furnace, $20. E 9139.

FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW, BASEMENT, garage; two lots; good location. E 6331.

MOVING PACKING STORAGE? PHONE Heaney's. G 1194. A representative will call and explain our service.

MOVING?—READ THE INSIDE OF THE back cover of your telephone book.

SIX-ROOM, MODERN HOUSE, JAMES Bay. Phone E 8605.

1733 FAIRFIELD ROAD, 8 ROOMS. Close Park. $23. Hose, 6 rooms, $35. 298 Moss Street, 5 rooms, $30. 357 Foul Bay Road, 7 rooms, $30. Jasmine Avenue, 6 rooms (½ acres), $20. 1017 Linden, 7 rooms, $25. H. O. Dalby & Co., Ltd., 634 View, opposite Spencer's.

6-ROOM BUNGALOW, $20. 7 ROOMS, $20. 7 rooms, $25. 8 rooms, $20. 7 rooms, in Fairfield, $35. 3-room apartment, $32.50. 4-room apartment, $40; and many others. Apply George Randall, 1303 Douglas. G 1741.

7-ROOMED HOUSE ON WATERFRONT—Excellent condition, large living-room; hot water heat; fine sea view. Rent $30. Alfred Carmichael & Co. Ltd., 1216 Broad Street. Real Estate and Insurance.

3180 SHELBOURNE STREET — FOUR rooms, garage, garden, $15.50, including water.

7-ROOMED MODERN BUNGALOW, Saanich, close in, immediate possession, $18. 425 Sayward Bldg.

6-ROOM MODERN HOUSE, GARAGE, furnace, 120 3212 Maple. Apply 244 Richmond, or G 2081.

602 MONTEREY, $28.50. 614 MONTEREY, $30. Both modern. Owner, G 4436.

57 WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES

WANTED — THE LISTINGS OF YOUR houses, flats and apartments. Our rental department has tenants waiting. Prompt attention given to all listings. George Randall, 1202 Douglas St. G 7241.

57A FURNISHED

FURNISHED HOUSE FOR CAREFUL adults, furnace necessary. Rent $25-$30. Box 3570, Colonist.

SMALL, FURNISHED COTTAGE, OR housekeeping room with piano, close in, moderate; fruit. Give phone to Box 3697, Colonist.

SMALL FURNISHED HOUSE, BY RESponsible couple, February 1. Box 3652, Colonist.

65 AUTOMOBILES

65A FOR SALE

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FOR SALE, TWO TIRES, ONE 5.25 x 21, one 31 x 00, one nearly new, rims and tubes included. Parker, Kenneth St., off Carey Rd., Saanich.

FOR SALE MODEL "T" TUDOR SEdan. Phone E 4756.

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NASH SEDAN, 1931—THIS CAR IS IN FINE class condition and has been reduced in price for quick sale.

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WHAT OFFERS?—1927 FORD COUPE. Consider truck in trade. 2315 Clark Street.

WILL TRADE 1930 AUBURN SEDAN and some cash for smaller car, coupe or roadster preferred. Box 3521, Colonist.

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1927 CHEVROLET TOURING	$35
1928 CHRYSLER SEDAN	$65
1928 FORD ROADSTER	$85
1929 GRAHAM ROADSTER	$95
1926 CHRYSLER "52" SEDAN	$115
1930 ERSKINE COACH	$185
1930 GRAHAM "812" SEDAN	$250
1931 STUDEBAKER SEDAN	$275
1930 BUICK SEDAN	$299
1934 TERRAPLANE COACH	$455
1932 PONTIAC COACH	$482
1936 MORRIS COACH	$495
1928 AUSTIN "7" SALOON	$585
1925 OLDSMOBILE DE LUXE SEDAN	$745
1937 CHEVROLET MASTER SEDAN	$775
1936 NASH SEDAN	$795
1936 CHEVROLET MASTER DE LUXE SEDAN	$948

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1928 ERSKINE SEDAN	$195
1928 NASH SEDAN	$225
1930 AUBURN SEDAN	$275
1930 DURANT SEDAN	$395
1929 ESSEX SEDAN	$250
1929 DODGE SEDAN	$295

Liberal Terms—Liberal Trades. No Bad Tape.

BEGG MOTOR CO. LTD. 827 Yates St. G 1144. 865 Yates St.

PLYMOUTH SEDAN	$185
ESSEX COACH	$195
AUBURN SPORTS SEDAN	$275
FORD TUDOR	$165
AUSTIN "7" SALOON	$195
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1939 LICENCE INCLUDED

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1937 CHEV. SEDAN DELIVERY. 1600 Plymouth sedan, perfect shape, 1930. 1937 Graham supercharger like new. Outright and underbody hydraulic hoists. New and used parts for all makes of cars and trucks.

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EMPRESS SALES

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FORD COUPE—12,000 miles, like new	$699
FORD COUPE—Beautiful condition	$599
FORD SEDAN—New top, good motor	$199
FORD COUPE—New paint, good rubber	$199
FORD SEDAN—Four new tires, Hurry	$199
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1938 SINGER "10" SALOON—BRAND new. New car guarantee $895

WANTED—Some good used cars for cash. N.B.—1939 licence goes with any car purchased from us.

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1938 FORD COUPE. Owner has asked us to effect a quick sale and offers will be considered. $795

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1937 DODOE COUPE. De Luxe Model. As fine a car as you would wish to drive. Maroon finish, smart appearance. $865

JONES BROS. SERVICE STATION, LTD. Corner Yates and Quadra. Phone E 4021

1934 CHEVROLET COACH — EXCELlent condition. Must sell immediately. Owner being transferred. East coast offer. E 5782.

1928 CHEVROLET TOURING, NEW top and paint. Phone G 4837, 6.30 to 7.30 p.m.

1937 FORD "85" DE LUXE CLUB coupe, 13,000 miles, excellent condition. What offers? Cash. Phone E 5869.

1928 STAR SIX COACH, GOOD CONdition throughout, $95, or nearest offer. 1041 Collinson Street.

1927 TUDOR, GOOD TIRES, FIRST-class condition, $25. 1508 Brooke Street.

1929 FORD COACH, GOOD CONDItion. 1790 G 2160.

1927 CHRYSLER COACH, $40. PHONE E 8512 or E 8498.

1933 DE SOTO COUPE, TRADE IN accepted. 1615 Pinewood Avenue.

1931 PLYMOUTH SEDAN, FOUR CYLinder, good condition. G 5665.

1929 DURANT SEDAN, WHAT OFFERS? 3287 Whittier Ave.

1926 FORD COUPE WITH RUCKSTEL: $20. G 4592.

1931 ESSEX COACH, GOOD ORDER, $245, terms. E 8038.

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1924 MAXWELL SEDAN, 1938 LIcence, $25. Phone G 1391.

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A CHEAP RELIABLE CAR FOR CASH. Box 3573, Colonist.

BEST CASH PRICE FOR YOUR CAR AT Empress Sales, 860 Yates. G 2812.

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GET MORE FOR YOUR CAR AT THE Mutual Auto Sales, 932 Johnson.

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67 BOATS AND LAUNCHES

BOAT ENGINES FOR SALE — BIG 6 Buick, Paige, Chrysler, 4 and 6 Dodge, Whitpool, Gordon & Cameron Bros. E 8096.

EVINRUDE ELTO OUTBOARDS, 5½ UP. E. H. Aylmer at Jones Bros. Ltd. Outboard motors. Also motors for rent.

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75 BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

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75 BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

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SMALL BAKERY SACRIFICED, $600 cash, worth double, living quarters, cheap rent. Box 8787, Colonist.

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$100 CASH BUYS SMALL ROOMING house. Apply evenings, 807 Pendrell and Humboldt.

76 EXCHANGE—REAL ESTATE

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78 HOUSES FOR SALE

A CORNER ZONED FOR BUSINESS OFfers an excellent opportunity to open a store. The location has special advantages exclusively to offer. Has a modern five-room bungalow and can be bought for only ..... $1650.

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MODERN STUCCO BUNGALOW

CONTAINING FOUR EXCEPTIONALLY nice rooms and breakfast nook; concealed stairs to attic with room for additional accommodation. This little home contains every modern convenience, tiled bathroom, set-in bath, shower, etc., hardwood floors, full cement basement, furnace and laundry tubs, separate garage. Lot (50 x 125) all laid out in lawn and garden and large oak shade trees. An unusually attractive property in first-class condition and complete in every respect.

PRICE $4000

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FULLY MODERN HOUSE, SITUATED on Transit Road, close to the sea, on two beautiful lots. High location. Large living-room with hardwood floors, dining-room, den, kitchen and pantry on ground floor; three bedrooms and bathroom second floor. Hot-water heating. Garage. Taxes $127 per annum. Price ..... $3500. Terms can be arranged.

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FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW, EXTRA room in basement; three-piece bathroom ..... $2250.

NINE ACRES, NEAT BUNGALOW, good well, high location. Price reduced to (half cash) ..... $2100.

ROOMING HOUSE. Price ..... $1350.

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FIVE-ROOMED MODERN HOUSE FOR sale or rent, furnished, garage in basement. Cheap for cash. Box 3646, Colonist.

JAMES BAY — A BUNGALOW OF SIX rooms and outhouses, close to Beacon Hill Park, in good condition inside and out. Basement, furnace, garage, fireplaces, blinds, linoleum, electric fixtures. Clear title. Low taxes. Only (terms) ..... $2000. First payment $500, or liberal discount for all cash.

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$4200

REALLY CHARMING FAIRFIELD BUNGALOW

NEAR SEA AND DALLAS ROAD

LOVELY LARGE LIVING-ROOM WITH handsome fireplace, good-sized dining-room with built-in sideboard, well-equipped cabinet kitchen, breakfast-room or den, two bright bedrooms with cupboards, bathroom with modern fixtures and shower. Oak floors in main rooms. Splendid concrete basement with hot air furnace, outside garage, charming garden. Paint, decorations and woodwork all in very good shape.

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LOVELY SIX-ROOM, FULLY MODERN stucco bungalow waterfront location, first-class condition inside and out, large living-room with fireplace, nice dining-room, well-arranged kitchen, three nice bedrooms, full cement basement, furnace, garage, lot 50 x 200. Trade for smaller bungalow with less ground.

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OAK BAY SIX-ROOM BUNGALOW—Cedar shingle roof, oil burning furnace, 1918. Price $3,150. Alex Pase, Room 6, 1122 Government Street. E 2144.

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To Close an Estate

$2,500 PROPERTY FOR $1750

THIS ATTRACTIVE RESIDENCE CONsists of reception room, living-room, large entrance hall, kitchen and four bedrooms, three open fireplaces, built-in features, three-piece bathroom, basement, garage. Frontage 120 x 120. Now is your chance to own a comfortable home. Why pay rent and nothing to show for it? Choice location.

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OAK BAY SPECIAL

Close to the Sea—Just Completed. Excellent Value.

THIS VERY ATTRACTIVE, WELL-CONstructed five-room stucco bungalow, consisting of large living-room with open fireplace, dining-room, kitchen and two bedrooms, built-in features, three-piece bathroom, hardwood floors, high basement (cemented), garage, low taxes. $3100. Lot average lot; title clear. Price only ..... Terms to suit purchaser. Why pay rent?

NORTH QUADRA SPECIAL

Choice Location—High Elevation

THIS WELL-PLANNED, NEW FIVE-room stucco bungalow, consisting of large reception room with open fireplace, dining-room, kitchen and two bedrooms. Two additional rooms allowed for in attic. Built-in features, hardwood floors, three-piece bathroom, furnace, garage in high, cement basement, nearly lawn about 127 in depth. This is a real buy. To duplicate this house today would cost you at least $300 more. Price (reasonable) ..... $3975 (terms).

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NICELY-PLANNED SIX-ROOM RESIdence, in connection with large drive, with open fireplace, dining-room, den with open fireplace, kitchen and three bedrooms, three-piece bathroom, hot-water heating, wash tubs, hardwood floors, cement basement; 76-foot frontage; several fruit and oak trees. Terms to arrange.

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FURNISHED FOUR-ROOM BUNGALOW, consisting of living-room, kitchen, two bedrooms and bathroom, cement basement and walks. Frontage 50 x 185. Y

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If you want a home combining an attractive and convenient plan with the highest type of construction, and have it commanding a view worth a king's ransom, you will be interested in this one—

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With a Splendid Garden

Situated inside the 2½-mile circle. On high ground, glimpse of a lake. Bungalow contains: Large living-room, sunroom, two bedrooms and a large well-appointed kitchen. All in first-class condition inside and outside. Price

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15 ACRES

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Five-room stucco, good garden and fruit trees. Separate garage. Hot water heat. High location. Taxes $35. Good buy at **$2800**. $1,000 cash, balance arranged.

EXCHANGE OR SALE

Three acres excellent land with seven-room stucco house. Basement, furnace, separate garage, nice garden, close to school and transportation. **$3300** terms.

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Close in, Fairfield bungalow in good shape, five rooms, full basement, furnace, garage, etc. Ten minutes to Post-office.

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High Quadra, fine rounded bungalow, just completed, oak floors, open fireplace, concrete foundation, fuel room (no basement), designed to avoid steps, separate garage.

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FURNISHED

Six-room bungalow in Oak Bay, fully modern, all furniture modern and new. This property has a sea view. Owner leaving city **$4200**

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VERY MODERN AND IN EXCELLENT CONDITION

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FAIRFIELD—A four-room bungalow, fireplace, garage, etc. Only **$1395** cash.

JAMES BAY—A five-room bungalow. Only **$1145** cash.

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MARINE—TRANSPORTATION

RUSSIA OUT FOR ORIENT

Empress Liner Away Last Night for Manila and Way Ports

With a total of seventy-seven travelers in all classes aboard, the Canadian Pacific Ss. Empress of Russia, Captain J. F. Patrick, R.N.R., commander, sailed from Victoria at 5:30 p.m. yesterday for Manila via ports in Japan and China. The liner arrived at the local dock shortly after 4 p.m. to embark passengers and load mails and general cargo.

Victorians boarding the liner included Miss Beryl Nelson, who is en route to Shanghai, where she will be married; and J. A. Stewart, who is connected with the China Navigation Company, Hongkong.

A number of missionaries sailed on the Russia for various parts of China, among them being Rev. Joseph Roberge, S.M.E., Rev. Father F. Murray, Rev. Father C. C. Donnelly, Rev. Damase Bouchard, S.M.E., Rev. Antonia Bonin, S.M.E., and Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Caughey.

DALHANNA HERE

To stow wheat and lumber at Ogden Point Piers, the British freighter Ss. Dalhanna arrived alongside the local elevator shortly after 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. She will take 2,000 tons of wheat and some lumber.

GENERAL OVERHAUL

For general overhaul, the freighter Ss. Amur, of the James Griffith & Sons fleet, arrived at Esquimalt yesterday morning. Yarrows Limited will do the work on the Seattle ship.

DUE DURING NIGHT

To load lumber for Europe, the Greek freighter Kastor was due to arrive at Ogden Point Piers overnight. The ship was to arrive from Cowichan Bay.

OWN SAFETY CONSIDERED

Danger of Injury Is Claim of Longshoremen Owing to Growing Picket Line

LONG BEACH, Cal., Jan. 21 (AP).—Chinese picketing of ships loading scrap iron for Japan continued today, with longshoremen declaring they had stopped work on the ships for their personal safety.

"The men were called off the job because of the increasing danger of injury from the rapidly growing picket line," said Ernest Brown, president of the International Longshoremen's and Warehousemen's Union.

MATTER FOR GOVERNMENT

"We are not concerned if the materials are considered contraband of war. That is a matter for the Government to decide."

Francis J. McGowan, president of the Waterfront Employers' Association of Southern California, charged "this particular case is but one of many similar cases where commerce has been tied up in the port by refusal of longshoremen to work, all too frequently through cases and issues entirely outside the scope of employer-employee relations.

LEGALLY OBLIGATED

"The ship operators," he declared, "are legally obligated to accept the scrap iron cargoes involved and the question of what constitutes contraband of war is a matter for determination by the Federal Government, and not by longshoremen or publicity-seeking pickets."

The ships involved are the Japanese Aratama Maru and the Norwegian Stjeremborg.

Rainbow Sea Cadets

Orders by Lieutenant-Commander P. W. Tribe.

Parades for week ending January 28: Tuesday, January 24, parade at Drill Hall for instruction as per syllabus; Friday, January 27, parade at Drill Hall for instruction as per syllabus.

Duties for week: Officer of the watch, A.W.O. A Brookman; duty division, Blue Division; duty bugler, Cadet J. R. Robertson; quartermaster, A.L.S. D. Holmes.

W. W. H. Smith, Lieut.,

Sea Cadet Corps.

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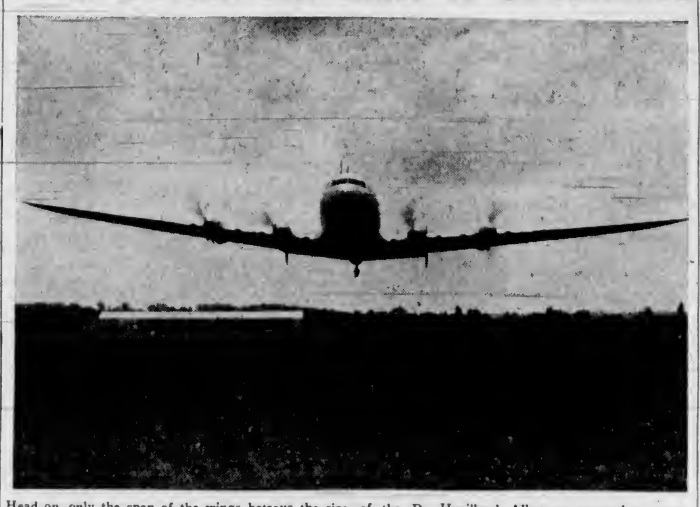

Head on, only the span of the wings betrays the size of the De Havilland Albatross monoplane transoceanic air liner. Powered by four Gypsy Twelve 505-525 horsepower supercharged engines, this streamlined wonder of the air is designed to cruise at 210 miles an hour. At the leading edge of the wings, note the airduct cooling system apertures adjacent to the engines. Retractible undercarriage enhances the performance. The Albatross is now ready for official airworthiness tests prior to undertaking long distance flights. Estimated range is 4,000 miles and 1,000 pounds of mail can be carried. — Flight Photograph.

SERVICE HAS FINE RECORD

Boats of R.N.L.I. Rescued Many Lives and Vessels Last Year

The lifeboat service of the Royal National Lifeboat Institution broke two records in 1938, according to a report just issued. Its lifeboats were launched to the rescue more often, and they saved or helped to save from destruction more boats and vessels than ever before in their history of 115 years.

There were 483 launchings. That excels the previous record, 1936, by fifteen. It is an average of over nine launches a week. Lifeboats saved or helped to save from destruction eighty-eight vessels and boats. That is twice as many as in 1937, and the largest number on record. They also helped in various ways another 250 vessels and boats.

The number of lives rescued from shipwreck during the year was 673. That is 149 more than in 1937. Of those lives 546 were rescued by lifeboats. The remaining 127 were rescued by shoreboats, and the Royal National Lifeboat Institution rewarded the rescuers.

LARGE AVERAGE

Since the Institution was founded in 1824, it has given rewards for the rescue of 66,099 lives. That is an average of eleven lives every week for 115 years.

The busiest month of the year for the lifeboats was November. In that month there were fifty-nine launches and sixty-nine lives were rescued. The busiest day was November 23, when there were twenty-seven launches; thirty-six lives were rescued; six medals and four vellums were won for special gallantry; and the institution made rewards to lifeboat crews amounting to over 500.

Englishmen, Irishmen, Scotsmen and Welshmen all won medals for gallantry during the year. Twenty-seven in all were awarded, three times as many as in 1937. One silver and eight bronze medals were won by lifeboatmen at St. Ives, Cornwall; one silver and three bronze at Tenby; seven bronze medals at Galway Bay on the west coast of Ireland; two bronze medals at Southend-on-Sea; one bronze medal at Aldeburgh; one at Great Yarmouth and Gorleston; and one at Nairn.

WON TWO MEDALS

Coxswain Sidney Page, of Southend-on-Sea, twice won the bronze medal. He is only the second man in thirty years to win two medals in one year.

It was a record year for the lifeboat service in another way. Thirty-seven motor lifeboats were being built during the year, the largest number there has ever been in one year. Twelve of the thirty-seven were completed. The remainder will be completed during 1939. There are now 140 motor lifeboats and twenty-four pulling and sailing lifeboats round the coasts of Great Britain and Ireland.

VANCOUVER SHIPPING

VANCOUVER, Jan. 21 (CP)—Canadian Pacific Steamship officials announced today there will be twenty-two sailings from Vancouver to Skagway and intermediate points between June 3 and August 30 this year. Two of the trips will be special eleven-day scenic cruise.

The Summer schedule showed the Princess Louise will make the first trip on June 3, while the first special cruise will be on the Princess Charlotte, leaving here June 21, and on July 3 for her second special cruise.

The motorship Australian Reefer docked today to Ocean Shipping Co., Ltd., on the regular service between the Coast and Palestine.

The vessel sailed for Puget Sound in the afternoon after discharging 3,600 stems of bananas from Guayaquil and a parcel of green peas, lettuce, cabbage and other perishable vegetables from California.

A new visitor to this port, the freighter Malantic docked at Lapointe Pier to take lumber overside for Philadelphia and New York.

The 4,250-ton vessel is owned by the C. D. Mallory Line, of New York. It is the first time since 1930 that the New York Company has sent a vessel to Vancouver. She came here from Seattle after unloading a cargo of paper from Philadelphia.

The steamship Tavarrick arrived overnight from United Kingdom under charter to Anglo-Canadian Shipping Co., Ltd. She will load a full cargo of wheat.

The annual longshoremen's smoker will be held here next Friday, it was announced today. Between 1,500 and 2,000 men are expected to attend.

MAIL AND SHIPS

WEATHER REPORT

ESTEVAN—Overcast; southeast, moderate, 30.10; 42, moderate swell.

LENNARD ISLAND—Overcast; southeast, moderate, 29.98, choppy.

PACHENA—Overcast; east, light; 30.03; 40, light swell.

CARMANAH—Cloudy; east, light; 30.10, light swell.

CAPE BEALE—Overcast; southeast, light, 30.04; light swell.

WIRELESS REPORT

NORTHLEIGH—Bound Vancouver from England, 270 miles south of Estevan at noon.

JHELUM—Bound Chemainus from Liverpool, 553 miles south of Estevan at noon.

ALBERTOLITE—Bound Vancouver, 430 miles from Vancouver at 8 p.m.

KINGSLEY—Bound Victoria, 476 miles from Victoria at 8 p.m.

SHIPPING CALENDAR

TO ARRIVE

PACIFIC RANGER—United Kingdom, January 24.

TO DEPART

HIE MARU (Vancouver)—January 21.

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—Japan, China and Philippines, January 21.

WHEN MAILS CLOSE

BRITISH MAILS

1.10 p.m., January 23, Monterey; air mail closes 1.10 p.m., January 25, 4 p.m., January 26, President Roosevelt, via New York; air mail closes 1.10 p.m., January 30, 4 p.m., January 29, Aquitania, via New York; air mail closes 1:10 p.m., February 2, 1.10 p.m., January 30, Montrose; air mail closes 1.10 p.m., February 1.

ATLIN AND YUKON

4 p.m., February 3, via Seattle, 1.10 p.m., January 24, February 7, 17, via Vancouver.

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

11.15 p.m., January 28, Monterey, via San Francisco.

CHINA AND JAPAN

11.15 p.m., January 23, Hie Maru; 11:15 p.m., January 23, Tyndareus.

HONOLULU MAILS

11.15 p.m., January 24, 28, 29, 30, February 4, 7, 11, 12 p.m., February 13, Niagara.

JAMAICA

1.10 p.m.: January 22, 27, 29

WEST INDIES

1.10 p.m., January 22.

QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS

1.10 p.m., February 3, 8, 17, 22, March 3, 8, 17, 22.

COASTING CRAFT

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER—Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Margueritte will leave Victoria for Vancouver daily at 1:05 p.m.; Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Margueritte will arrive at Victoria daily from Vancouver at 3.15 p.m.; Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will leave Victoria daily for Vancouver at 12 midnight; Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will arrive at Victoria from Vancouver daily at 7 a.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE—Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Margueritte will leave Victoria for Seattle daily at 4.30 p.m.; Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Margueritte will arrive at Victoria daily from Seattle at 11.15 p.m.; Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 9.15 a.m.; Ss. Iroquois will arrive at Victoria from Seattle daily at 8.25 a.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES—Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Port Angeles at 9.15 a.m.; Ss. Iroquois will arrive at Victoria daily from Port Angeles at 8.35 a.m.

SALTSPRING ISLAND—Ms. Cy Peck leaves Swartz Bay daily except Wednesday for Fulford Harbor at 9.30 a.m. and 5 p.m.; Ms. Cy Peck leaves Fulford Harbor daily except Wednesday for Swartz Bay at 8.15 a.m. and 4 p.m.

VICTORIA-GULF ISLANDS-VANCOUVER—Ss. Princess Mary will leave Victoria at 10.30 a.m., Tuesdays, for Vancouver via Gulf Islands; Ss. Princess Mary will arrive at Victoria via Gulf Islands at 6.30 p.m., Mondays.

WEST COAST—Ss. Princess Maquinna leaves Victoria on the 1st, 11th and 21st of every month for Port Alice and way ports on the West Coast of Vancouver Island.

NANAIMO-VANCOUVER—Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo daily, except Saturday and Sunday, for Vancouver, at 7.45 a.m. and 2.30 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will arrive at Nanaimo, from Vancouver, at 1.15 p.m. and 8.15 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo, for Vancouver, on Saturday only, at 7.45 a.m., 2.30 p.m. and 9.15 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will arrive at Nanaimo, from Vancouver, on Saturday only, at 1.15 p.m. and 8.15 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo, for Vancouver, on Sunday only, at 9.45 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will arrive at Nanaimo, from Vancouver, on Sunday only, at 11.15 p.m. and 11:15 p.m.

AIR SERVICE CHIEF HERE

Commander C. P. Edwards Came to Victoria With E. H. Coleman, K.C.

VANCOUVER, Jan. 21 (CP).—Commander C. P. Edwards, the Department of Transport's chief of air service, said today a new airport site is being sought in British Columbia as an alternative to Vancouver's Sea Island air base.

Commander Edwards only remained in Vancouver a short time before leaving for Victoria, where he planned to inspect the Royal Canadian Air Force base being developed at Sidney. He said this base may be used by Trans-Canada Air Lines as a terminus when weather conditions make landing at Sea Island hazardous.

He was accompanied by E. H. Coleman, K.C., Under-Secretary of State.

Commander C. P. Edwards, who arrived here yesterday afternoon, will leave Victoria this evening for the East again. He stated on arrival that his visit had no official significance; and while he would very likely take a look at the airport being developed at Patricia Bay before leaving, he had not come here to make an inspection of the situation as a possible emergency landing field for Trans-Canada planes.

RIVAL SKIPPERS MAY MEET AGAIN

Both Sopwith and Vanderbilt Building 12-Metre Yachts for Racing In English Waters

NEW YORK, Jan. 21 (AP).—Harold S. Vanderbilt and Thomas Sopwith, rival skippers in the last America's Cup yacht races, may meet again this Summer in twelve-metre craft instead of the big class "J" yachts.

The keel for Vanderbilt's new twelve-metre craft was poured at City Island yesterday. When it is completed in April, he will take it to England for a series of races. At the same time it was learned that Sopwith has ordered a new twelve-metre yacht built in England.

HELD WEEKLY SHOOT

The Rainbow Rifle Club held its weekly shoot at the Drill Hall yesterday afternoon. Results, out of a possible 100, were as follows: "A" Class, W. Acland, 99; P. Mackenzie, 99; R. Saturley, 99; N. Anderson, 97; W. Brown, 97; R. Ferguson, 94; H. Davies, 93; F. Greensmith, 92. "B" Class, Miss S. Jones, 96; R. Herriott, 95; Miss B. Stonham, 93. "C" Class, Miss M. Acland, 95; E. Balson, 95; Miss A. Wood, 95; Miss R. Rayment, 93; Miss J. McAnerin, 89; Mrs. M. Bates, 79; B. Anderson, 69.

On Way to Australia

OSLO, Norway, Jan. 21 (AP).—A message from the Norwegian motorship Wyatt Earp, base ship of the Lincoln Ellsworth Antarctic expedition, reported today the vessel was on its way to Australia with Ellsworth and Sir Hubert Wilkins aboard after completing their Antarctic work.

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Captain of Cabot Has 5,000 Flying Hours to Credit

LONDON, Jan. 21 (CP).—Imperial Airways have appointed Captain J. C. Kelly Rogers, burly Irishman, to command the flying boat Cabot on her trans-Atlantic flights next Summer.

Captain Kelly Rogers joined the Royal Air Force in 1927. Latterly he has been flying on the Egypt-India-Australia route. Captain Kelly Rogers was the first Irishman to receive a first-class air navigator's certificate and now has a credit of 5,000 flying hours.

Waves Broke Over Bridge of French Passenger Vessel

PLYMOUTH, England, Jan. 21 (AP).—The French liner Paris arrived here today with her portholes smashed, furniture damaged and passengers bruised by a terrific gale in the Atlantic. A ban on the movement of passengers on deck prevented more serious casualties as waves broke over the ship's bridge.

Plant Closes Down

UCLUELET, Jan. 21.—The Bamfield Packing Co. reduction plant situated at Uclulet, closed for the season this week and men and seine boats have returned to their homes. Though the herring quota for this district has not been reached, the constant storms and light herring runs in Barkley Sound have made it necessary to cease operations until the pilchard season opens.

WILL AGAIN TRY TO LEGALIZE SWEEPS

OTTAWA, Jan. 21 (CP).—Legislation aimed at legalizing sweepstakes in Canada will again be sought in the House of Commons this session, a bill to that effect being contemplated by Vital Mallette (Liberal, Jacques Cartier).

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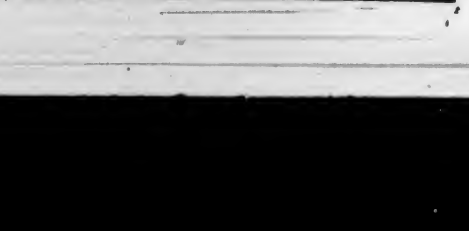

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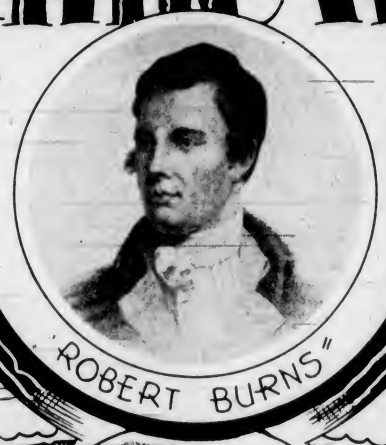
A Little While With Burns

By ROBERT A GURNEY

Tam had got planted unco right,
Fast by an ingle, bleezing finely.



"ROBERT BURNS"

"O Thou who kindly dost provide
For every creature's want."

"Scots, wha ha'e."

Cotters' Saturday Night.

HAVING selected a title, "A Little While With Burns," there must be an immediate understanding that what goes under it is not intended to be an intimate glimpse of the life of Scotland's beloved poet, nor a review, but a somewhat general selection of things that might interest Scottish people and others.

Unlike many national heroes, steeped in legend or veiled with mythology, Robert Burns was a living character; a man who moved among his own kinfolk. He was a man of the common people who wrote and sang of the things they knew and the things they loved best. Burns spoke the plain language of the Scottish people. No one need be a student of Burns to understand the meaning of every line, in every poem, every song, every lyric and every sonnet. It does not require the literary attainments of a university professor to decipher the meaning of a phrase. Burns wrote from the heart, a heart at times sorely tried with the afflictions of poverty and adversity. That's why most people like to read Burns.

In a Clay Biggin

BURNS was born on January 25, 1759, in a clay cottage near the bridge of Doon in Ayrshire. Born in an atmosphere of privation, but of honest, hard-working parents, Burns' early life was not one that would lend encouragement to the development of genius. Throughout his whole life the poet never forgot his station in life. In one of his letters to Dr. Moore, Burns says: "I was born a very poor man's son. For the first six or seven years of my life my father was gardener to a gentleman of small estate in the neighborhood of Ayr. Had he continued in that station I must have marched off to be one of the little underlings about a farmhouse; but it was his dearest wish and prayer to have it in his power to keep his children under his own eye until they could discern between good and evil." Burns was ever mindful of his father's wishes, but he disobeyed him on one particular occasion. That was when he went to dancing lessons.

Of that episode the poet writes to Dr. Moore: "In my seventeenth year to give my manners a brush I went to a country dancing school. My father had an unaccountable antipathy against these meetings and my going was, what to this moment I repent, in opposition to his wishes. My father, as I have said before, was a man of strong passions; from that instance of disobedience in me he took a sort of dislike to me, which I believe was one cause of the dissipation which marked my succeeding years."

Burns does not give that episode as an excuse for his so-called "dissipation." Much has been said and written of the escapades of the young maker of rhymes, but there seemed to be a greater reason for his inability to adjust himself to the bounds of propriety known and practised in his day, for he adds: "I say dissipation, comparatively with the strictness and sobriety and regularity of country life, for, though the will-o'-the-wisp meteors of thoughtless whim were almost the sole lights of my path, yet early ingrained piety and virtue kept me for several years afterwards within the line of innocence. The great misfortune of my life was to want an aim."

Still a Country Lad

FIRED with genius, a reputation among his friends for book knowledge, a desire for sociability, a constitutional melancholy and a dread of solitude, it was not unreasonable that Burns should have sought the companionship of others whose ways paralleled those of his own. Remember he was still a country lad.

Of all the numerous ills that hurt our peace,
That press the soul, or wring the mind with anguish,
Beyond comparison the worst are those
That to our folly or our guilt we owe.

Burns' nineteenth Summer was spent on a smuggling coast, in a school where he went to learn surveying, in which he made "pretty good progress," but a greater progress in the knowledge of mankind. He mixed with the smugglers and joined in their squabbles until, he says, "the sun entered Virgo, a month which is always a carnival in my bosom and stepping into my garden one charming noon to take the sun's altitude, there I met my angel —." The angel was Peggie Thomson.

Another interesting episode in the life of the poet was in his twenty-third year, when, "partly through whim and partly that I wished to set about doing something in life, I joined a flax-dresser in the neighboring town (Irwin) to learn his trade." That was an unlucky affair. A welcome carousal was under way when the house caught fire and was burned to ashes. Burns relates "and I was left, like a true poet, not worth a sixpence." Burns gave up the idea of becoming a flax-dresser.

"The clouds of misfortune were gathering round my father's head; and to crown my distresses, a belle fille whom I adored and who had pledged her soul to meet me in the field of matrimony jilted me, with peculiar circumstances of mortification. The finishing evil that brought up the rear of this infernal file was my constitutional melancholy being increased to such a degree that for three months I was in a state of mind scarcely to be envied by the hopeless wretches who have got their mittimus—Depart from me, ye accursed." At this particular time Burns had been forsaken by Jean Armour at her parents' bidding.

A Son of Misfortune

BURNS, it would appear, soon afterwards fell in with a hapless son of misfortune (Richard Brown), and from him learned much that was not for the good of the poet, and for a time he gave up writing with the exception of "a few religious pieces." Then his father died and "his all went among the hell-hounds that prowl in the kennel of justice."

Making shift to collect as much money as they could between them, Burns and his brother Gilbert took up a neighboring farm, and it was about this time that the poet made the resolution to become wise. He read all the books he could on farming, crops and markets, but bad seed the first year and a late harvest the second sent Burns on a new tangent which ultimately brought him back to "rhyming." He says the first of his poetic offspring to see the light was a burlesque lamentation or a quarrel between two reverend Calvinists which he styled "Holy Fair," a lengthy satire with a scene laid in the churchyard of Mauchline. The last verse is particularly apt and gives a general idea of the style:

How monie hearts this day converts
O' sinners and o' lassies!
Their hearts o' stane, gin night are gane,
As saft as ony flesh is.
There's some are fu' o' love divine
There's some are fu' o' brandy;
An' monie jobs that day begun,
May end in houghmagandie
Some ither day.

The burlesque met with a roar of applause and apparently it prompted Burns to present "Holy Willie's Prayer," a satire on a hypocritical farmer in Mauchline Parish and which caused the Kirk a good deal of annoyance and, it is written, the elders held special session to see if they had anything in their spiritual artillery which could be pointed in the direction of profane rhymers." It was one of the few amusing situations from which Burns received enjoyment. But unfortunately, or unluckily, he placed himself in position for an open attack, and what followed nearly lost for Scotland and the world the greatest of Scottish poets. He gave up his part of the farm to his brother and prepared to leave with all haste for Jamaica.

First Poems Published

HOWEVER, Burns resolved to first publish his poems, for two purposes, i.e., to find out what reception they would receive and, if possible, to raise sufficient money for his passage. He says he "thought they had merit." He wasn't sure. He had several hundred copies struck off. "I was pretty confident my poems would meet with some applause; but, at the worst, the roar of the Atlantic would deafen the voice of censure and the novelty of West Indian scenes make me forget neglect." Burns, it would appear, was more concerned about the censure than the monetary return. He was actually thinking of indenting himself to a ship owner to secure his passage. He obtained nearly twenty pounds, and as soon as the nine guineas was in hand he took a steerage passage in the first ship that was to sail from the Clyde.

Further in his epistle to Moore he said: "I had been for some days skulking from covert to covert under all the terrors of the jail, as some ill-advised people had uncoupled the merciless pack of the law at my heels. I had taken a last farewell of my few friends; my chest was on the road to Greenock; I had composed the last song I should ever measure in Caledonia—'The gloomy night is gathering fast'—when a letter from Dr. Blacklock to a friend of mine overthrew all my schemes."

The quoted line is from "The Bonnie Banks of Ayr."

The gloomy night is gath'ring fast,
Loud roars the wild inconstant blast;
Yon murky cloud is foul with rain,
I see it driving o'er the plain.
The hunter now has left the moor,
The scattered coveys meet secure,
While here I wander, pressed with care
Along the lonely banks of Ayr.

The last two lines of the song express the poet's feeling at parting from his beloved land.

The bursting tears my heart declare
Farewell the bonnie banks of Ayr.

Side-Track of History

IT was because of the letter from Dr. Blacklock that Burns eventually went to Edinburgh. To make a side-track in history, what would have happened to Burns had it not been for the timely epistle that sent him to the famed city of Edinburgh to him the centre of all learning? Would Burns have gone to the Indies to there become the victim of an unfriendly climate? At any rate there was little happiness for his going and less for his staying. It is possible that Edinburgh, West Indies or any other place away from the memories he so keenly felt would have been welcome to the poet at that time. It was better that he went to Edinburgh because his going made Scotland the richer, although it gave but little to the lonely poet of the plough.

The doctor belonged to a group of learned men, critics, if you may, and his opinion weighed heavily with Burns, so much so that he at once posted for Edinburgh without so little as a letter of introduction. "The baneful star that had so long shed its blasting influence in my zenith for once made a revolution to the nadir, and a kind Providence placed me under the patronage of one of the noblest of men, the Earl of Glencairn."

Burns found Edinburgh like a new world. He mingled among many classes of men, but, as he says, they were all new to him and I was all attention to catch the characters, and the manners of living, as they rise. Whether I have profited, time will show."

The poet was not long making friends. For, within a month of his arrival in Edinburgh, he was in the midst of society in rank and talent. He was eagerly patronized, but was not spoiled by the attentions and praises and, as one of his biographers says of him: "Nothing could be more manly and dignified than the manner in which he received the praises and attentions of fair ladies and learned divines."

He had no thought of forsaking his friends for the new-found glamour and he had no desire to quit his original calling. After publication of the Edinburgh edition of his poems, for which he received £500, he returned to his home and his friends. With part of the money he purchased a farm called Ellisland, on the banks of the Nith, and was able to loan his brother Gilbert £150 for his farm at Mossgiel.

Marriage With Jean

IN April of 1788 Burns was married to Jean Armour. But again the poet's baneful star shed its blasting influence and the farm proved a failure and Burns was forced to move to the town of Dumfries and supported his family on a pittance of £50 a year as an exciseman, the only position his friends could obtain for him.

What remains of the story of the life of the poet is one of the saddest episodes of Scottish history and brought to a close the struggling years of Burns and with it a physical suffering he was unable to withstand. Burdened with debt and difficulties, Burns sat late one night in the Globe Tavern and, returning to his home, he lay down in the snow and so slept for some time. He was stricken with a severe cold, from which he never recovered. On the 18th of July in 1796 the poet was unable to stand and lapsed into delirium. The fever increased and on the fourth day, as Dr. Currie writes in "Life of Burns," "the sufferings of this great but ill-fated genius terminated, and a life was closed in which virtue and passion had been at perpetual variance."

In a memoir of Robert Burns contained in an edition of "The Lansdowne Poets" a writer says: "Time has drawn a merciful veil over the failings of the sorely tried man, and has crowned the poet with a fame that will endure as long as Scotland exists."

One of the most interesting documents

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You Can't Touch Dotty

By James Hilton

JOHN Cresswell was forty-two, a New Yorker, good-looking, cultured, sensitive-minded. He was also, rather surprisingly, a bachelor. Perhaps even more surprisingly, he was an accountant. You left him alone in a room with a sufficient number of books and papers, and in a week or less he'd locate a missing million in the TVA or a missing nickel in the Standard Oil Company. Therefore, when a New York bank sent him to Hollywood to inquire into the affairs of Suprematone Pictures, Incorporated, it did not take him long to reach the embarrassing question: "What about Dorothy Perkins?"

Mr. Mengelberg, head of Suprematone, replied: "Oh, my goodness, you can't touch Dotty."

"Why not?"

"Well, you just can't. She's . . . well, you know who she is."

Cresswell knew, but the knowledge did not entirely satisfy him. He glanced down at the salary list, confirming that the naughts after Miss Perkins' name were really four and not three. "I should like to meet Miss Perkins."

Mr. Mengelberg nodded suavely. "Of course you shall, Mr. Cresswell. And please understand that I welcome this investigation unreservedly. I want you to meet everybody, ask questions, go everywhere you like. . . . But there's just this snag—if our folks once suspect what you really are, they'll shut up like clams."

"I don't need to meet everybody. But Miss Perkins——"

"Of course. All the same, we want to have things looking right, so I've an idea . . . . we'll put you in an office with your name over the door, and a secretary. . . . Why, yes . . . with your accent—English, isn't it?"

"I didn't know I had one."

"Well, the idea's all right, anyhow. You're a visiting producer. From Europe. England. You were with Korda. Everybody's been with Korda, or else Korda's been with everybody—it's the perfect alibi. . . . Gee, that's an idea—see how things come to me?—just like a flash . . . you'll have a sort of roving commission—go anywhere you like. . . . Now don't tell me you don't know anything about pictures—you don't have to. Ideas, Mr. Cresswell—that's what counts in this industry. See how it is?"

Mr. Cresswell did not entirely see. But during his first week in a studio office he compiled an itemized report to take to Mr. Mengelberg. The two had lunch together with the report on the table between them.

" . . . considerable wastage of office stationery. For instance, Mr. Mengelberg, I asked for some long envelopes. They brought me a box containing a thousand. Fifty would have been ample. . . .

" . . . the telephone also. When I visited one of the writers in his office he was talking to his mother in Terre Haute. Quite a long private call. . . ."

"I'm not an English producer at all," he said. "I'm an accountant from a New York bank, sent here to investigate the studio finances."

MR. Mengelberg nodded sagely. "Very valuable, Mr. Cresswell. All these things shall be looked into immediately. We'll put a stop to these fellers phoning their mothers. . . . I hope your bank is satisfied that, on the basis of your report, we shall do our best to . . . "

"Wait a minute, Mr. Mengelberg. That's only the first page of the report." He turned it over. "Now we come to a somewhat larger matter." He paused and asked again that somewhat embarrassing question: "What about Dorothy Perkins?"

Mr. Mengelberg smiled. "She's joining us for coffee in a few minutes. I'll leave the two of you together, then you can ask her any questions you like."

"That's kind of you, but really, you know, the question I'd most like to ask is one that I can hardly put directly to her."

"No?"

"Tell me frankly. Is Miss Perkins worth ten thousand dollars a week?"

"You couldn't get her for less."

"I'm afraid that's not quite the point."

"Look here, Cresswell. I know you're A-1 at the efficiency game, but you can't play it quite the same in a picture studio as in a bank. You're dealing with human beings, Cresswell, not figures in a book. And Dotty Perkins is a human being——"

"I don't deny that. I only suggest——"

"Why, man, she's our biggest star! Don't you realize what Dotty is—she's a—she's a household word! Folks think of her like they think of—of George Washington or . . . ."

"Al Capone?"

"Yeah, Al Capone, if you like. You couldn't build up names like that by ten million dollars' worth of advertising! Even the picture industry don't make 'em like that any more! Here today and gone tomorrow, all these new stars. Why, if Suprematone didn't have her, what would we have? And she's loyal, Dotty is—she wouldn't go anywhere else except for more money, and she knows we pay the top prices."

Cresswell digested most of this with a gulp. Then he said: "Tell me something about her—and her career. How did she begin?"

"From the bottom up—like all of us. Drugstore gal in some place. Made her first big hit in 'Waste'."

"When?"

"Oh, ten or twelve years ago. 'Waste' was one of the last of the big silents."

"And it was a success?"

"Success? It hit the ceiling for two million dollars. And then Dotty wrote another just like it called 'Want,' and that made another million."

"You say she wrote it?"

"Oh, yes. Dotty used to write her own stuff. Of course, she don't do it now—we have the best writing team in the whole industry working for her."

"She's versatile, then."

"Versatile?"

"I mean, she can do a good many different things."

"Oh, you bet she can. I tell you, Dotty's been pretty nearly everything in this industry except the cop at the gate. She and I knew Hollywood Boulevard when it ended up in a trail through orange groves."

"That doesn't make her so young."

"Or so old, either. You wait'll you meet her. You'll be surprised."

It was a true forecast, for when Mr. Cresswell met Miss Perkins a few minutes later he was surprised. She was not quite like anything he had expected. He was immediately aware of something—of a slightly inane roguishness in the way she greeted him, of a silly little giggle between her deeply scarlet lips, of a queer schoolgirlish charm lingering behind the desperate efforts of a woman of forty to look twenty years younger. Though he didn't realize it until a subsequent meeting, he fell in love with her instantly.

AS soon as Mr. Mengelberg left them together she started off: "Oh, Mr. Cresswell, I'm so glad to meet you—I've always admired your work—Alex never stopped talking to me about you."

"Alex?"

"Alex Korda . . . isn't he a dear? Mengy said you worked with him in England. Funny we never met there, isn't it? I love London—the Savoy Grill and all the cute little streets—don't you love them too? I can't tell you how glad I am we're going to work together at last. Why don't you dine at my house tonight and we can discuss things in comfort?"

He thought: You're an awful little liar, but I really don't mind accepting your invitation. . . . He said: "That's kind of you. Thanks. But since we're here, let's begin talking now. This new picture of yours—I wish you'd tell me something about it."

Dotty arranged her pocketbook and gloves on the table before her, sipped coffee, giggled, and began: "You see, Mr. Cresswell, you're an Englishman—you wouldn't know much about our Civil War. It was between the North and the South. The South believed in slavery, but it was all very romantic, and the North was right, but wasn't romantic at all—so there you are, you have your background. I'm a beautiful girl of the South—her father has a plantation—slaves, of course, but he's always kind to them—and she falls in love with a Northern boy who's down there on business—falls passionately in love—not anything sexy, you know, but just passionate—then the war starts and the boy has to go back and fight for the North. Meanwhile the girl meets another boy, a Southerner, and is just about to marry him when the Northern boy gets wounded in battle near the plantation and is carried into her house to die. But he doesn't die——"

"I suspected all along he mightn't."

"Well, naturally, he couldn't, could he? She nurses him back to health and eventually——"

" . . . marries him . . . "

" . . . after a lot of old-fashioned objections from her family, but at length they consent and . . . "

"Yes, I know. What I really want to know is the idea behind the picture—if there is one."

She laughed. "Dinner is at seven. Not dress. There won't be anyone else."

Actually, when the time came, there wasn't even Dotty. About eight o'clock, when Cresswell had drunk three cocktails by himself, she telephoned the house from the studio and offered profuse apologies—she was still working on the picture and couldn't get away till ten or thereabouts. Would he care to wait? He said, well no, he didn't think he would——

THAT evening, feeling a little put out, he was better able to attempt a coldly scientific assessment of her value to Suprematone Pictures. He arrived at a full and frank recognition of a fact that had occurred to him as likely even from the beginning—viz., that Dorothy Perkins was not worth ten thousand dollars a week. Few people were.

Wherefore, being an honest man as well as a shrewd accountant, he said the following morning: "This question of Miss Perkins, Mr. Mengelberg . . . "

"Well?"

"Ten thousand a week is a lot of money. It's just about what I earn in a year."

Mr. Mengelberg looked somewhat shocked by this confession—it seemed to give him a new and poignant interest in Mr. Cresswell. He answered: "I grant you it's not a bad little pay cheque. But I tell you frankly, if that's what you're driving at, I'd rather take a cut in my own salary than suggest one in Dotty's . . . well, almost."

"That's not quite what I'm driving at. May I tell you exactly what's in my mind?"

"Sure."

"I've come to the conclusion you've been losing money on Miss Perkins for years."

"But—but——" Mr. Mengelberg spluttered feebly. "You can't say that—maybe some of her pictures haven't been as good as others—but—don't you realize?—we've built her up! She's one of our chief assets——"

"I'd call her your chief liability."

"But—but—why?"

"Hardly my job to explain. I'm not a judge of acting. But, as you yourself know, the Perkins pictures don't make profits. And that means that Miss Perkins not only isn't worth ten thousand a week—she's not worth ten a week!"

"See here . . . what have you got against Dotty?"

"Nothing at all, personally. Far from it. I like her. In fact, I think she's charming—off the screen."

"She must be charming on the screen, or how d'you suppose she ever became a star?"

"I don't know. Public taste changes. I suppose people expect something more sophisticated than the stuff that made Miss Perkins famous ten years ago.

"As you know, I'm in some sense a servant of the bank—what I mean is, they'll probably act on any advice I give them. So that it would be—don't you think?—far better if what has to be done is done tactfully. Miss Perkins' option comes up for renewal next month."

Mengelberg stared hard for a moment. "You don't really mean that we should let Dotty go?"

"I do mean it."

"But . . . but what about the picture she's working on now?"

"Scrap it if it hasn't gone too far. If it has, finish it off as quickly and cheaply as you can. You'll lose less that way."

"You don't think it's so good, then?"

"I'm no judge, but if you want my opinion, I think it's downright bad."

Mengelberg scratched his head. "Funny . . . I thought it sounded all right when Dotty told me about it."

"She could make a bus timetable sound all right if she talked about it privately—I'm quite aware of that. Unfortunately, that's not what you pay her a salary for . . . "

"YES, I get you. I suppose you're right. But I'm sorry for the gal. She's a human being. It'll be a blow to her."

Cresswell tried to remember that there were millions of unemployed in the country, and therefore the cruelest blows of all were not those suffered by a woman faced with compulsory idleness after earning half a million dollars a year for over a decade.

Nevertheless, it wasn't easy to engineer the professional demise of the woman he was beginning to fall in love with, and perhaps for that reason it was just as well that Cresswell had delivered his ultimatum to Mengelberg before his first dinner with Dotty at her Beverly Hills mansion. It was the first of many. They had, he soon discovered, many kindred interests as well as nicely complementary personalities.

He found, to his surprise, that though she had many acquaintances, there were few intimacies in her present life, whatever there might have been in her past. Perhaps that was because Hollywood was young enough to think of her as old. Once she said: "Marie Dressler and Will Rogers and John Gilbert . . . they were my friends. How can I feel the same about Power and Taylor and that Rainer girl? They wouldn't feel the same about me, anyway. On the screen they think I'm a ham, and off it they think I'm a grandmother. I am, too, for that matter."

Upon the thought of Dotty as a grandmother came perhaps obtusely to Cresswell the realization that he had been in love with her ever since their first meeting. Of course, it was absurd. He knew that. An accountant in love with a movie star! Anyhow, he told himself, it didn't and couldn't matter, because in a week's time he would be back in New York.

Afterward, Dotty became serious. "John," she said, offering him coffee and cognac in front of a crackling fire, "I'm going to give up the screen after this picture. Do you know that?"

He felt appallingly traitorous.

She went on: "As a matter of fact, Mengy won't take up my option next month. I know that. It means I'm through. I don't think any other studio wants me—at any price. It's all or nothing with people like me. But of course I don't really have to worry. Probably, when I get used to it, I'll be happier than I've been for a long time. All I want is a little house in the country—one maid—I can manage all the rest by myself. Do you think I could afford it?"

He said, gravely and with a touch of irony, that he felt sure she could.

She went on, looking at him with tear-filled eyes: "John, you've been so kind to me. . . . I wonder if you could spare a few minutes to help me figure out how I stand?"

"You mean financially?"

SHE handed him pencil and paper from a nearby table. "Yes, dear. Something tells me you're good at arithmetic."

"Certainly, I'll help you," he answered, disguising his discomfort.

"Of course, you know my salary. I dare say you think it's a lot, and so it is, but half of it goes out straight away in taxes. Then there's over a thousand a week in wages—maids, gardeners, secretaries, agents, and so on. I've got some old aunts and uncles in Missouri I send money to—and then there are special police and bodyguards and insurance and what not. . . .

"I always knew I've have to retire some day, but I never thought I'd get fired." She giggled. "Well, that's what it practically amounts to. I like to call things by their proper names. And people too."

She looked at him, still with those tear-filled eyes even though she was laughing, and under their gaze he felt himself flushing brick-red. "Dotty, before we go any further . . . I want you to know the truth . . . from me . . . rather than from others after I've gone. . . . I'm not an English producer at all—I'm an accountant from a New York bank sent here to investigate the studio finances."

He waited nervously for her to speak. At last she said, "I've known that for some time."

"What?"

"It was sweet of you to try to hide it from me, though."

"What?"

"Might have been embarrassing—for both of us—if we hadn't pretended. Of course, it doesn't matter now."

He stammered: "You really are an extraordinary person, Dotty. You'll forgive me for saying it, but if you were half as charming on the screen as you are off it, I'd tell Mengelberg you were worth a million a week."

"Thank you, dear."

She went on: "Coming back to the money question. You know, when I first began in pictures, I could really save—I used to buy stocks and apartment houses and diamonds and things. But I was cleaned out of most of the stocks in '29, and I had to sell the diamonds to pay for losses on the apartment houses. I don't believe I'm worth very much now. I've got a ranch in the valley, but nobody wants it, because the place simply eats its head off in expenses."

"I suppose you own this house, though?"

"No—just rented. Six hundred a month. And when I leave I suppose they'll bill me for a couple of thousand for dilapidations. They always do."

"Why?"

"Oh, it's a sort of racket."

"It's not fair. Don't pay."

CRESSWELL looked doubtful. She smiled and went on. "I don't care, I've had my fun. But I had most of it years ago when everything in Hollywood was on a shoestring. Doing your outdoor scenes on actual street pavements—making up most of the stuff as you went along . . . somehow one kept fresh that way. I got a hundred a week, and every one of those dollars I could have exchanged for gold—that's what money was worth in those days."

Cresswell poured himself a second glass of brandy. "What you need is somebody to look after you."——

"Well, I've had enough people to do that in my time—d'you know my attorney says I owe him thirty-two thousand dollars?"

"What for?"

"Some case I had two years ago against an agent."

Something rushed uncontrollably to Cresswell's head. "Supposing I asked you to marry me, Dotty?"

"Darling! You don't mean it!"

"I did, but if you think it's too ridiculous, please forgive me."

"Forgive you? Dearest, you . . . you don't know how I adore you?"

"You adore me?"

"I adored you right from the moment I met you in Mengy's private lunchroom. I said to myself, That's the sort of man I'd marry if he weren't in the picture business. So you can imagine how I felt when I found you weren't."

"But . . . but . . . "

"You see, dear, you're so dependable. That means such a lot—you've no idea. With you I wouldn't have any more worries about whether the new cameraman knows how to hide that bad left profile I have, and whether my publicity man is doing me more harm than good."

"Darling . . . "

"Of course, I'm forgetting the chief reason of all—I love you. I always love funny people—I was once crazy about a snake charmer in a circus. . . . I do love you, John. And that's just why I wouldn't marry you. You don't want to have the bother of a person like me—you don't want to have me depending on you all the time."

"I think you'd do that very nicely in some little house outside New York—that is, if you didn't mind being a commuter's wife and doing without caviar."

"We almost forgot . . . there's the income tax."

"Income tax?"

"They haven't yet settled what I have to pay for Nineteen-thirty-three, four and five. It might make you bankrupt, darling."

All Cresswell said, while he kissed her, was:

"You seem to have led the untidiest life of anyone I've ever met, Dotty. But you've found the right person in me, my dear—I happen to be an expert on income tax."

"I think you're wonderful. And I'd love a tidy life myself if only someone would make it tidy and keep it tidy for me."

"I will, I promise you. When will you marry me?"

"Are you sure you want me to, darling? I'll have to finish that damned picture first."

FINISHING the picture kept Dotty very busy the next few weeks. Cresswell returned to New York, his mission ended, and every day came Dotty's scribbled report on what was happening. It was quite clear to Cresswell, that Mengelberg was making every possible economy in production and winding up the whole enterprise as speedily as possible. This had been Cresswell's advice. "Mengy's turned off the writing team and we're making the scripts we already have to—there seems to be about forty of them. And he's doing most of the directing himself—as a matter of fact he takes my advice in a lot of things, he's being such a dear."

Then, a few days later: "We came to some new stuff today that wasn't in any of the scripts and I sat down on the set and scribbled out a scene that Mengy liked a lot—it was kind of human, he said.

Cresswell smiled. So she was entering the economy crusade with a vengeance? Well, well, no harm in that—it didn't very much matter what happened to the picture so long as it ended quickly.

Cresswell was still in New York when the Hollywood preview took place. Hiding in a loge seat, he prepared himself for a couple of hours of acute embarrassment.

Nor, to begin with, was he either pleasantly or unpleasantly disappointed. The picture was just about as bad as he had expected. But about two-thirds through the picture a change became noticeable. It was a change, not so much in the quality of the story or the dialogue or the acting, as in the degree of indulgence one found oneself prepared to accord to it. Suddenly one felt easy-minded, benevolent, cosy about the whole thing, and this cosiness, beyond doubt, was evoked by Dotty herself. Her personality flowered; all at once she became as adorable on the screen as Cresswell had known her off it.

Never for one moment did you believe in the ridiculous lines she spoke or in the ridiculous situations she got into, yet somehow, more and more convincingly, you believed in her. And by the end of the picture you had wholly surrendered to a mood in which Dotty could go on doing anything she liked, however absurd, and have you adoring her eternally.

Two weeks later Cresswell met Dotty in New York. They were at a cabin in the Catskills when this wire arrived:

Banners packing em in all over continent stop ready to—make new contract write your own ticket stop please return Hollywood immediately

Mengelberg.

"Well," Cresswell said, when she handed it to him and he had read it.

She said, with a touch of sadness: "Even if I went back it wouldn't do any good. Now that they've had a success they wouldn't let me be free any more. I'd have to work with all those writers and directors again—Mengy would never let me have my own way except in something he thought didn't matter. We've had our chance, and it was a last one—we both knew that. In a way I'm too old for Hollywood now, but in another way Hollywood's too old for me—it's got too many rules and too many dotted lines and too many experts to draw them."

"Well?" Cresswell repeated, handing her back the wire.

SHE answered, after a pause: "I suppose if I can write my own ticket I can do this to my own ticket too." She tore up the message and threw it into the fire. "But there's one thing I'm really glad about," she added, more cheerfully. "I'm glad Mengy's going to make some money. Maybe he'll make enough to pay off the mortgage to your bank."

"Oh, you don't have to worry about that," said Cresswell. "The bank won't press him now. There was never anything personal in it, you know—merely a desire to protect the public's money."

Dotty giggled. "Darling," she said, "I think it's you who are adorable. When the movie companies have lost a hundredth part as much of the public's money as the banks of this country have, then it'll be time for the banks to begin to talk."

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St. Louis College

FEW educational institutions have had such a varied history in three-quarters of a century as that which St. Louis College has experienced since it first opened its doors in 1864 to the Catholic youth of Victoria. The early sixties were primitive days for Victoria—this far-flung outpost of Western Canada. Having received its charter of incorporation in 1862, it was still only in its swaddling clothes, a city of only two years' growth, when the College began to rise up in an environment that had so recently been a mere trading post of the Hudson's Bay Company. The Government of British Columbia had no public schools till after the act of 1872; hence we read in an old record: "From 1864-1872 nearly every boy of school age in Victoria gladly availed himself of the opportunity of attending St. Louis College, to acquire at least the rudiments of an education." Greed for gold also brought to this young city a heterogeneous population, and with it the problem of catering for its spiritual needs. At this time the Oblate Fathers were very active workers both on this Island and on the Mainland, and to them belongs the credit of having erected and staffed the first St. Louis College.

Only a few short years had elapsed when the Oblates withdrew from the Island to concentrate their forces in various fields on the Mainland. Thus early the young school was unexpectedly deprived of its devoted staff. The situation was all the more embarrassing for Bishop Modeste Demers, who found himself obliged to sell the diocesan farm in order to purchase the school from the founders, the price of which was $10,000.

Scarcity of Staffs

SCARCE as was the number of the diocesan priests, they were called upon to form a staff to continue the work. In the course of the next couple of decades there were innumerable changes in the personnel of the staff, so much so, indeed, that very few names have come down to us of men who gave their energy and ability to the work for any considerable period. Some notable exceptions were Fathers A. J. Jonckau, A. J. Brabant, A. Van Nevel, J. H. Leroy and the late Monsignor Leterme, who held the position of principal during a period of sixteen years. From time to time secular teachers were availed of to augment the staff or to fill vacancies thereon; in many instances these were brought from Eastern Canada. The Sisters of St. Ann, successful pioneers in educational work for girls in this region since 1858, were now given charge of the younger boys. Their work was most effective, but circumstances unfortunately arose which obliged them to discontinue their services.

At this juncture the Marist Fathers were prevailed upon to accept the full responsibility, which they relinquished after a period of about two years. Once again were the Sisters invited to assist in warding off a crisis and to assume control. They thereupon entered on their task anew, supplementing their ranks with lady teachers. Before long, however, difficulties once more cropped up, with the result that the Sisters permanently withdrew. Secular appointments were then made, so that on the advent to the diocese of Bishop A. MacDonald in 1908, the principal was J. L. Shanahan, and his two assistants Miss Edna McHugh and Mrs. Barbara Sullivan. At this period the College had been struggling along for almost half a century. Among the distinguished past pupils of the early days were the late David Belasco, famous in the theatrical world, and the late R. T. Williams, city alderman.

Three Brothers Come

IN May, 1912, Bishop A. MacDonald took up with the Superior General of the Christian Brothers of Ireland the question of taking over the work of the struggling little school. The outcome of this action was a visit of inspection by the late Brother Hennessy, then Assistant to the Superior General. In his interview with the Bishop he declared that nothing could be done for at least three years. However, because of the threatened closing of the school no further delay was made and on September 7, 1915, three Christian Brothers arrived to take charge of St. Louis College. The names of these pioneers, Rev. Brothers Ryan, Fitzgerald and Murphy, are still held in veneration by their many friends and past pupils in this city. On the opening day, 1915, fifty-seven pupils presented themselves for instruction; the following year the number had reached one hundred. Among the past pupils of the first years who are giving devoted service to the Church may be mentioned Rev. S. Pollard, O.S.B.; Rev. R. Roberts, of the Chinese Mission, Vancouver; Rev. E. Regan and Father Tourigny, S.J.

The above shows the original St. Louis College and the new building below, while on e right is Most Rev. Gerald C. Murray, C.Ss.R., Bishop of Saskatoon, who was largely influential in having the new school constructed, and on the left is Frank J. Sehl, who will be chairman at the reunion banquet in the College on Sunday, January 29.

People will readily recall the names of the Brothers who taught at the school for six years or more: Brother Grangel, whose interest outside of class work extended to the development of vocal and histrionic talent among the pupils and who died in Chicago about a year after his term of office as principal was completed; Brother Keogh, who was on the staff for eleven years and many times trained the choir for successful competition in the musical festivals; Brother Lawless, during whose term as principal the old building that had outlived its usefulness gave way to the new; and Brother English, who has been on the staff for more than twelve years and whose interest in the Boy Scouts and school athletics is well known. The present staff consists of Rev. Brothers E. B. Walsh, principal; E. A. English, vice-principal; C. A. O'Donnell, J. B. Ryan, P. B. Whalen and R. C. Drake.

One of the first acts of Bishop Murray, C.Ss.R., who was appointed to the diocese in 1930, was to tackle the problem of replacing the historic old building with a structure that would be thoroughly modern in plan and equipment. It is true that the old College had by this time served its purpose for over sixty-six years, but equally true that it had long outlived its period of usefulness. Many were the inconveniences and handicaps that harassed the staff in their work as the old building increased in age, and great was the joy of all on beholding in September, 1932, the bold achievement of the new Bishop.

During the past two years some of the rooms of the new building were remodeled to provide living quarters for the staff, the chapel of St. Joseph was opened, a new handball court was erected, and an outdoor asphalt court for basketball and tennis was built.

A Little While With Burns

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which shows the spirit of the poet and his love for his country and his calling is Burns' dedication to the second, or Edinburgh, edition of his poems, to the Noblemen of the Caledonian Hunt. It was written April 4, 1787, and follows:

"My Lords and Gentlemen,—

"A Scottish bard, proud of the name, and whose highest ambition is to sing in his country's service—where shall he so properly look for patronage as to the illustrious names of his native land; those who bear the honors and inherit the virtues of their ancestors? The poetic genius of my country found me, as the prophetic bard Elijah did Elisha at the plough; and threw her inspiring mantle over me. She bade me sing the loves, the joys, the rural scenes and rural pleasures of my native soil, in my native tongue; I tune my wild, artless notes as she inspired. She whispered me to come to this ancient Metropolis of Caledonia, and lay my songs under your honored protection; I now obey her dictates.

"Though much indebted to your goodness, I do not approach you, my Lords and Gentlemen, in the usual style of dedication, to thank you for past favors: that path so hackneyed by prostituted learning, that honest rusticity is ashamed of it. Nor do I present this address with the venal soul of servile author, looking for a continuation of those favors: I was bred to the plough, and am independent. I come to claim the common Scottish name with you, my illustrious countrymen; and to tell the world that I glory in the title. I come to congratulate my country, that the blood of her ancient heroes still runs uncontaminated; and that from your courage, knowledge and public spirit, she may expect protection, wealth and liberty. In the last place, I come to proffer my warmest wishes to the great fountain of honor, the Monarch of the Universe, for your welfare and happiness.

"When you go forth to waken the echoes, in the ancient and favorite amusement of your forefathers, may pleasure ever be of your party; and may social joy await your return! When harassed in courts or camps with the jostlings of bad men and bad measures, may the honest consciousness of injured worth attend your return to your native seats; and may domestic happiness with a smiling welcome meet you at your gate! May corruption shrink at your kindling indignant glance; and may tyranny in the ruler, licentiousness in the people, equally find you an inexorable foe! I have the honor to be," (etc.).

Robert Burns.

Gift to His Country

THERE are commonplaces connected with the life of Burns, but we have heard them so often they have become monotonous in the extreme, and it would appear there are many who know no more of Burns than his shortcomings and consider it just the proper thing to elaborate on them to the exclusion of the finer thing—that no poet ever gave to his native country a collection of poems to equal those of the Scottish bard.

Without forgetting the other Scottish poets, Scotland's love for its native land was more ably expressed in the writings of Burns than in any other. Every Scotsman is born to an intuition of them, which is to say that whatever is strongest, deepest, broadest and finest in Scottish national character finds a gentleness in his immortal verses.

W. M. Rossetti, in a prefatory notice to "The Poetical Works of Robert Burns," says in part: "The ideal Scotchman is the man to whom Burns' poems most come home. They give all his distinctive faculties and foibles; only with a modification necessary to the excellence of the poetic result; that the prudential and prosaic attributes—which one might call the minus quantities—of the Scottish character are left in proportion less than the reality, while the plus qualities—the geniality, fervency, and even rampancy, of whatever kind—are thrown in with a prodigal exuberance. But all are there—the less as well as the kindly excesses. Burns is, in fact, the demigod—the prophet, priest and king—of Scotland."

It would be futile to attempt to analyze the characteristics of the poems of Burns, or to attempt to set out a single opinion as to why Burns attained the renown in Scottish literature, or what force lay behind those simple lines, woven into story and song, that established such ascendancy over the Scottish mind.

Best of Collection

ALTHOUGH the poet had little, if any, knowledge of music, his poems found expression in song to which they were easily adapted. They had a natural smoothness in measure and many of them today are among the most popular. He was a rapid composer, and it is said that "Tam o' Shanter" was written in a day and to many it is one of the best of his collection.

Burns had the faculty of selecting the most unusual subjects. For instance, here are some lines which the poet wrote on a bank note:

Wae worth thy power, thou cursed leaf!
Fell source o' a' my woe and grief!
For lack o' thee I've lost my lass!
For lack o' thee I scrimp my glass.
I see the children of affliction
Unaided, through thy cursed restriction.
I've seen the oppressor's cruel smile,
Amid his hapless victim's spoil,
And for thy potence vainly wish'd
To crush the villain in the dust.
For lack of thee, I leave this much-loved shore,
Never, perhaps, to greet auld Scotland more.

To all who love Burns there is one ballad, sometimes characterized the noblest of them all, which fully expresses the depths of passion of the poet in the loss of Mary Campbell, with whom he exchanged vows of fidelity with a Bible in their hands, standing on either side of a small brook. They parted, and the lovers never met again. On the third anniversary of the death of Mary, who died from a fever at Greenock, Burns wrote the lines "To Mary in Heaven":

Thou ling'ring star, with less'ning ray,
Thou lovest to greet the early morn,
Again thou usher'st in the day
My Mary from my soul was torn.
O Mary! dear departed shade!
Where is thy place of blissful rest?
See'st thou thy lover lowly laid?
Hear'st thou the groans that rend his breast?

There are three other stanzas.

Love of the Soil

AS an example of the poet's genuine love of the soil, free from which he could not be, there is a poem "To a Mountain Daisy," composed, as the poet says, at the plough, and written on the occasion of his turning one up with the plough:

Wee, modest, crimson-tipped flower,
Thou's met me in an evil hour;
For I maun crush amang the stoure (dust)
Thy slender stem;
To spare thee now is past my power,
Thou bonny gem.

There are a number of other verses, and they compare with another similar instance while the poet was ploughing. He scattered the nest of a mouse. "To a Mouse":

Wee, sleek, cowrin', tim'rous beastie,
Oh, what a panic's in thy breastie!
Thou needna start awa' sae hasty,
Wi' bick'ring brattle (run).
I wad be laith to rin and chase thee,
Wi' murd'ring pattle (plough spade).

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The best-laid schemes o' mice and men
Gang aft a-gley,
And lea's us nought but grief and pain
For promised joy.

The above lines have been universally quoted and are almost as familiar as "a man's a man for a' that."

And the last verse in which Burns compares his lot with that of the beastie of the fields:

Still thou art blest, compared wi' me!
The present only toucheth thee.
But, och! I backward cast my e'e
On prospects dread!
And forward, though I canna see,
I guess and fear.

Burns' rather amusing if somewhat unconventional poem, "To a Louse," shows another side of the poet and his powers of "observance." He is supposed to have written the lines on seeing one of them on a lady's bonnet in church. It is given here because of its unusualness:

Ha! whare ye gaun, ye crowlin' ferlie! (wonder)
Your impudence protects you sairly;
I canna say but ye strunt rarely
Owre gauze and lace!
Though faith, I fear ye dine but sparely
On sic a place.

There's a little moral attached to the poem above, which is also familiar throughout the land:

Oh, wad some poo'er the giftie gie us
To see oursel's as ithers see us!
It wad frae monie a blunder free us
And foolish notion.

The poem goes on for several verses in much the same vein.

Some Familiar Lines

AND here's another of Burns' songs that has a special appeal in these days of international unrest. It is styled "Is There, for Honest Poverty," and will be found familiar to many. The last verse is the one most frequently quoted nowadays:

Then let us pray that come it may,
As come it will for a' that,
That sense and worth, o'er a' the earth,
May bear the gree (palm) and a' that
For a' that and a' that,
It's coming yet for a' that,
That man to man, the warld o'er
Shall brothers be for a' that.

Throughout the whole of his collection Burns rarely showed the spirit of anger, excepting in one instance, and there is no tempering of the hatred he bore the fellow who had just shot at a hare and he saw the wounded animal limp past him:

Inhuman man! curse on thy barb'rous art,
And blasted be thy murder-aiming eye;
May never pity soothe thee with a sigh,
Nor ever pleasure glad thy cruel heart.

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Go live, poor wanderer of the wood and field,
The bitter little that of life remains;
No more the thickening brakes and verdant plains
To thee shall home, or food, or pastime yield.

There are scores and scores of other poems and songs equally as interesting as the few we have set out, in part, here, but these serve to illustrate the character of the poet. The critics never gave away an opportunity of stressing the other side of the life of the poet, but after all his was a life lived under intense emotional strain, and what deflections there may have been should be balanced with the finer things that Burns did—and now his critics may well abdicate in favor of a Higher Power into whose trust the keeping of the soul of the greatest of Scotland's poets has been given.

January 25, Scots in many parts of the world, organized in Burns Clubs, will honor the Immortal Memory in toast and song, and it would be well to remember on those occasions Shakespeare's lines in Julius Caesar:

His life was gentle, and the elements
So mixed in him, that nature might stand up
And say to all the world—This is a man.

Capetown scientists who spent a recent vacation among the giant cedars of the Cedarberg, in the Clanwilliam district, discovered a curious plant, called an urticularia, which it is thought has never before been described. This plant eats insects. It has a complex mechanism for entangling them when they alight on its flowers.

Cell Growth Fostered To Solar System Size

By THOMAS R. HENRY

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A CELL culture of elemental, inchoate life stuff whose original substance increased theoretically 10,000,000,000,000,000,000-fold in forty weeks was described at Richmond, Va., recently by Dr. Philip R. White, of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research.

Starting with a pellet about the size of a grain of mustard cut from a wart-like excrescence on a tobacco plant, Dr. White watched it grow until, arithmetically speaking and ignoring actualities for the moment, if no part had been discarded it would have been an unorganized purposeless cosmic monster spheroid of life 600,000,000 miles in diameter and roughly comparable in size to the whole solar system included in the orbit of Pluto.

First Year of Life

IT still had twelve weeks to go to complete its first year of life. At the same rate of growth it then would have been a lusty infant the size of 400,000 solar systems. In a few more weeks it would have swallowed the whole milky way galaxy. By the end of its second year it would have filled all the space in known creation, consumed the substance of all the galaxies, and perished of starvation as it bulged outward into the emptiness of infinity.

Such a nightmare actually happened—in reverse. Dr. White had to do it all in a few test tubes, but he was able to witness such a phenomenon of growth as man has not hitherto imagined. He placed his tiny pellet in a special nutrient solution. It began to expand. Small as it was, it probably contained a great number of separate cells, the basic units of living things. These cells divided, each becoming two; then the two became four, and so on. After about two weeks, Dr. White cut away a few pellets from the original mass and discarded the rest. These were placed in new nutrient solutions. This process was continued for forty weeks. Every two weeks Dr. White would discard the bulk of the mass which had accumulated and start new cultures with a few pellets which he saved.

Culture Increases

EACH culture increased in size about fifty per cent a day, Dr. White says. At the end of the forty weeks he was left with something not much bigger than he started with, but it had all come from the original pellet. The actual original substance, however, constituted only about one 10,000,000,000,000,000,000th of the final mass.

Scientifically, this was an important achievement—the first pure plant cell culture. From such cultures, it is believed, it will be possible to learn a lot about the behavior of elemental life uncomplicated by specialization. Relatively pure animal cell cultures have been made in the past, such as the celebrated immortal chicken heart of Dr. Alexis Carrel, but none of them has shown such a phenomenon of growth. Plant cell cultures, with one possible less dramatic exception, have not succeeded in the past.

Last year, however, Dr. White found that, when bits of root cut from tomato plants were placed in a special nutrient solution, they continued to grow. The secret appeared to be the nutrient solution, which contained one part in ten thousand of brewer's yeast. Without this the cell cultures would not grow at all. Apparently there were two unknown substances in the yeast essential to the cell reproduction. One was identified as Vitamin B 1, which now is produced synthetically. The second was found to be one of the amino acids, into which proteins are changed by the process of digestion and are one of the forms in which food is utilized by the body. This acid was identified as glycerine. With these two elements, together with traces of iodine, manganese, zinc and boron replacing the brewer's yeast, Dr. White found he had almost the ideal material in which to grow isolated roots.

A Tomato Root

NOW, a tomato root is a rather complicated structure. Several kinds of cells enter into its structure. Then Dr. White found his peculiar tobacco plant. It is a new tobacco hybrid, with an extraordinary tendency to form callous-like growths where its stem skin is broken or scratched. The cells of these excrescences seemed to be largely unspecialized. Once set free in the ideal nutrient solution, they were set free from all inhibiting influences of the tobacco plant community.

These cells have nothing to do in the world except eat and multiply. In this case Dr. White supplies his cells with plenty of exactly the sort of food they desire. They could not live outside the very specialized environment he has prepared for them. They would starve to death.

This is the great difficulty encountered in keeping alive gland grafts in humans. It is the most potent reason why, in natural evolution, cells had to become specialized so that some—the blood cells—would carry food to others, while still others digested it, and all the others were specialized in some way or other to serve the workers.

Memlinc Picture Exhibit

A VERY important exhibition of the works of Memlinc and his pupils, to which the King of the Belgians has given his patronage, will be opened in Bruges next June. It is expected that pictures will be assembled from public and private collections all over the world, insurance on loans from foreign countries running into hundreds of millions of francs. The Belgian Government and the City Council of Bruges will give financial assistance.

The main organizer of the exhibition will be Paul Lambotte, author of many books on painting, including a volume on English art. M. Lambotte was formerly keeper of the Brussels Museum of Fine

Some Observations on Pebbles

By Robert Connell

FROM the gathering of pebbles along the sea-washed beach to the naming of them is a step not easily taken. Children do not bother about it, though I have known some who have learnt to distinguish agates from the commoner kinds and with an ease to which older people do not always so easily attain. Once they have grasped the difference by observation rather than description, the young eyes are very quick to detect the valued objects among either the dull pebbles of the dry slopes or the gleaming wet ones by the water's edge. Even then all that is taken for agate is not really such, for there are fragments of chalcedony that lack only the necessary aristocratic banding, but lacking it lose the right to be called "agate." On the other hand there are agates in which the banding is almost invisible when unpolished.

The pebbles of the beach have an interest, however, beyond that of agate hunting, and the attention given them by the growing band of amateur lapidaries has led to the discovery of many other beautiful types, stronger in coloring than the agates and often more curiously marked than they or the other well-known chalcedonous stone known as mocha stone or moss agate, in which forms of iron cause black or dark green growths resembling moss or minute trees. Specimens of water-clear quartz and the yellow variety known as "false topaz" have been collected by Mr. A. Campbell, of Sooke, on the beaches of that district. The red chalcedony, called carnelian or sard is found, and the opaque red, brown and yellow silicate known as jasper is quite common.

I think it is extremely likely that the idea of polishing stones was first suggested by the processes of Nature as seen in a stream bed or upon the sea shore. Just as the men of the Old Stone Age made their artifects after the models furnished in every scree of broken rock, so the next cultural advance would be derived from running water or waves aided by sand and other debris of the rocks. I came across, the other day, an interesting illustration of this learning from natural processes. Some of my readers may remember that among the marbles of their early days were those that went under the name of "blood alleys," and were perhaps the same to which the great Pickwick referred when, according to Buzfuz, he asked Mrs. Bardell's boy "whether he had won any alley tors or commoneys lately." The latter were, of course, common baked clays, but the alley tors were of higher class. They appear to have derived their name from "alabaster," but were actually made from limestone which in blood alleys was usually flecked with streaks of red, hence the qualifying "blood." Now in a little pamphlet published by the Boston Society of Natural History thirty-five years ago I find this: "Marbles made out of limestones of various kinds and colors are manufactured in Holland and Germany. The stone is broken and sorted into suitable-sized fragments. They were formerly rounded by placing them in a wooden or iron cylinder which was roughened inside so that the marbles were rasped against the side of the vessel and against each other as the latter revolved. When of right size they dropped through holes bored in the sides of the cylinder." Here we have an artificial manner of applying the same forces and materials as you find in the broken rock or a scree, and with the important addition of water in a river bed or on a beach. The fragments of rock are made to grind each other's faces.

Sea Batteries

ALONG a beach extending between two headlands, as along much of our local coastline, the pebbles of the beach are continually being driven against each other, the force varying with the height and velocity of the waves. In our relatively calm waters we do not get the effects attained in the Straits beyond Sooke and still more upon the open ocean shores. There the steep banks of shingle are one evidence of the great transporting power of the heavy seas. Still another is the excavation of the sandstone cliffs and basalt promontories. The former are gradually hollowed out below by the battering of the waves armed with stones, and when the face of the cliff is sufficiently weakened great blocks fall to the shore below to furnish fresh ammunition, chiefly pebbles from the conglomerates. An idea of the curious operation of the waves is obtained by specimens I got at Muir Creek in 1937. A mud slide from the glacial deposits that crown the cliff was so kneaded by the waves and peppered with small pebbles that numbers of rounded masses about the size of a breakfast roll or a Bath bun and quite hard were produced, the dark stones protruding at the surface like raisins or currants. In the basalts the operation is different because of the greater hardness of the rock. The fissures in the rock are attacked, sometimes with explosive force through the enclosure of the upper end and the imprisonment of air. Large blocks are broken off and these are then still further reduced and worn down more and more, the harder portions becoming as stones part of the boulders and beach shingle.

The word "stones" covers various sizes of material. "Stone" is distinguished from "rock." "Rock" is the material of the earth's crust; "stone" is this material when quarried or otherwise broken up. Thus a particular rock may be greenstone, whinstone, pudding-stone, limestone, sandstone, building stone, and we speak of stone quarries, places where stone is excavated from the rock and quartered or dressed. Large pieces of rock when not artificially cut are properly called "rocks," but we speak of the "stones" of Stonehenge although these monoliths are of great size. But to speak of "throwing rocks" is to use a colloquial Americanism. In parts of New England they used to speak of "rocking" a person when they meant "throwing stones at him." A classical instance of this use of "rock" occurs in Bret Harte's amusing "The Society Upon the Stanislaus":

Now I hold it is not decent for a scientific gent
To say another is an ass—at least to all intent;
Nor should the individual who happens to be meant
Reply by heaving rocks at him to any great extent.

Then Abner Dean of Angel's raised a point of orden—when
A chunk of old red sandstone took him in the abdomen;
And he smiled a kind of sickly smile and curled up on the floor,
And the subsequent proceedings interested him no more.

Music of Stones

NOW stones, when worn, fall into three poorly defined grades of size, pebbles, cobbles and boulders. Where one begins and ends no one can precisely say; it is a matter of individual judgment based on a sort of general consent, otherwise the terms would be meaningless. I think one would be justified in saying that each of the three grades has its own special note when played upon by the waves or by the waters of a mountain stream. The pebbles give a clear high sound, though not loud. Tennyson's brook "babbles on the pebbles," and sometimes we describe it as tinkling or even as singing. Even when the waves sweep the pebbles to and fro on the slope of the shore the resulting sound is high and shrill. With the cobbles, which are as large as your fist or even larger—their size seems to have been limited and defined in olden days by their use as cobble stones for street paving—a heavier and less attractive sound is developed in accordance with the slower movement of the individual bodies. The boulders seem to have got their name from their deep voices when subjected to the power of water. "Buller" is used on the northeast coast of Scotland for "roarer," as in the celebrated Bullers of Buchan, where the roaring is caused by the rush of the sea through a narrow but lofty arch into a pot or cauldron of rock. I believe the Danish word "bulder" means "a crashing noise or uproar." You can easily understand the relation if you have listened on a calm Summer day to the sound of one of the steep-coursed creeks that run down to the sea from the highlands above Shirley and Jordan River districts. Low as the water may be compared with its Winter height, you can easily hear the hoarse murmur of the boulders in the bottom of the stream as the water passes over them and jostles them one against another. In the rainy season the effect must be stupendous, and I have read of such river-boulder sounds being heard miles away.

Both the music and the noise produced by water on pebbles, cobbles or rocks is the accompaniment of work done and the evidence of it to the ear. In the turmoil of wave or stream angularities are reduced, shapes modified, surfaces smoothed. The character of the work done depends, of course, to a great extent on the qualities of the material operated on. The largest boulders may, by reason of their mineral composition or their want of cohesion, quickly break up and become reduced to gravel or sand. Others are weakened by their cleavage, which may make them split and even flake under the pounding they receive. But even the toughest carry with them when they arrive at some comparatively quiet resting place the marks of their stormy career. But these last often show in spite of their rough usage a remarkable degree of polish, and this is very true of some of the smaller boulders along the West Coast shore, where the bright and shining surfaces they display are, even when dry, quite dazzling on a sunny day, though they are made of dark material. The fragments of basalt and gabbro as well as of other hard, tough rocks are subject to a continual scouring by the sea with sand, the natural counterpart and prototype of the lapidary's polishing mill. In addition, the continual pounding of heavy seas has given them so solid a setting that it is possible to walk easily over them, stepping from one to another without danger of rocking.

A Mixed Lot

ONLY a part of the pebbles, cobbles and boulders of our beaches is derived from the adjacent headlands. Their chief source is and has been the glacial, interglacial and immediately post-glacial deposits which have been in part submerged by the sea, in part cut back by it into cliffs. As the glacial ice cap passed over not only the lowlands of our own Island but those of much of the Mainland, and as it was continually fed by tributary glaciers from the Island's interior mountains, from the Coast Range and from the ice cap of the Interior Plateaus, it is not difficult to see that a very heterogeneous collection of rock specimens must have been contributed by these various sources. From our own Island tribute would be extracted from at least half a dozen types of volcanic rock, lavas, dyke rocks, tuffs and agglomerates, a number of granitoid species and a large variety of schists and sedimentary rocks. From the Mainland would come, in addition to various lavas and their relatives, at least a dozen distinctly defined and well-established deep-seated igneous rocks and their derivatives, to say nothing of the materials of dykes and sills. There must also have been materials from the Mainland interior, perhaps chiefly lavas. Out of all these we find at least typical specimens here and there, chiefly granitoid boulders of various kinds with many interesting schists of kinds quite unknown so far as I am aware on Vancouver Island. Generally speaking, only the toughest and hardest survived, but occasionally you come across a sandstone boulder of the Cretaceous which has preserved its identity by means of the abundant fossils it contains. The chief of these is a species which so far as I know has not been found on the southern part of the Island, belongs to the lower Cretaceous and is found on the Mainland north of Mount Baker, on some of the San Juan islands and on Kyuquot Sound on our far northwest coast. The Nanaimo sedimentaries belong to the upper Cretaceous. Occasionally boulders of conglomerate occur, some of them belonging to the Vancouver series, others apparently much older and greenish in color. These Cretaceous ones, of course, are made up of water-worn pebbles just as our modern beaches are, but cemented together.

Name This Pebble

IT is obviously, therefore, not easy to name all the kinds of pebble found on our beaches. But they can be roughly assigned to the basaltic, granitoid and schistose types, or to the simpler groups such as quartz, chalcedony with its agates, and jasper. Many of them are colored green with epidote or chlorite, the former of a more yellowish tint. Then there are the various porphyritic types distinguished by very distinct crystals of felspar or of one of the dark minerals such or hornblend or augite. The white felspars stand out very distinctly against black, greenish black, brown or dark grey backgrounds which represent the matrix of finely grained minerals crystallized after the larger crystals. The porphyritic crystals may be long and narrow prisms or short, thick ones; they may be distinct from each other or they may be clustered together. There is one very interesting type of this rock to be found in cobbles and boulders, but very rarely in pebbles. It has a greenish grey ground mass with fairly large crystals of white felspar radially grouped, that is with a common centre from which they spread out. Thus the crystal groups not infrequently look like flowers; in fact, my first acquaintance with this rock was when I was shown a cobble containing "petrified flowers." The material comes from the Sicker series up-Island and is known as "rosette gabbro."

Ruskin says somewhere that stones are mountains in miniature. Certainly a good deal of useful geology can be learnt from pebbles of the beach, and we do not need to search for rare ones. I remember how my dear old friend Gordon Downes used to fill his pockets with specimens not for their color but to illustrate to his pupils such important structural features as veins and faults, the pebble's veins being quite strictly equivalent to the dykes of the great rock masses. Not only do these pebbles illustrate the occurrence of these features, but they also teach us the curious and often puzzling effects produced by some of these features when viewed from different aspects. Sometimes, too, a pebble shows a section of a geode or drusy cavity containing crystals which have had sufficient elbow room to permit them to complete their form properly. Of course, not only the sections, but still more the crystals, usually of quartz, are very small and the latter require a magnifying glass to see them properly. But then size is not an element of beauty, and the very daintiness of the spectacle is truly impressive.

A good deal of the difficulty of assigning pebbles to distinct rock species—that is, of course, where they are not simple minerals—lies in the fact that the very hardness which has insured their existence is usually the result of a high percentage of silica and this is so frequently found in rock that has undergone a high degree of metamorphism. In fact, some of the more picturesque pebbles are little more than wisps of colored siliceous matter or mosaics of fragments of different kinds of rock silicified and cemented in a siliceous matrix.

This Week's Best Books

By LIBRARY SERVICE

"The German Octopus: Hitler Bids for World Power," by Henry Cutler Wolfe. By spending several months each year in Central Europe and the Balkans, Henry C. Wolfe has specialized in the political and economic problems of that part of Europe, with particular attention to the Nazi drive to the East. He knows personally many of the leaders of the Central European and Balkan Governments, and is well equipped to present a graphic picture of current European conditions. The theme of the book reveals Nazi Germany as the key to the situation, the driving power behind the march of dictatorship and the rising tide of international lawlessness. Behind the melodramatic Nazi thrusts, the drama of Pan-German movement goes on. Hitler and Dr. Josef Goebbels have replaced Wilhelm II and his advisers, but their roles are the same. The Third Reich of Adolf Hitler dreams of the same empire that would dominate Europe as did the First Reich of Bismarck. It is the struggle to reach this goal, by way if necessary, that motivates all Germany's policies. Mr. Wolfe first went to Europe in 1917 and saw service in France, Italy and Greece during the World War. He has since been a correspondent, newspaper columnist and lecturer, and his articles about European affairs have appeared in many magazines. In recognition of his interpretation of European affairs he has received decorations from France, Poland and other governments. "The German Octopus" is a reliable and lucid guide to the muddle that may some day involve all of us. John Chamberlain rightly declares in his foreword that it is the "must" book of the day.

"My Seventy Years," by Martha Louise Black. Mrs. Black is member of Parliament for Yukon, and here is a full account of her amazingly eventful life. In her childhood she fled before the great Chicago fire that destroyed her home and her father's business. In her early thirties she joined the trail of '98 and walked over the Chilkoot Pass, known as the worst trail this side of hell! She has staked claims, panned gold, run a sawmill, been chatelaine of Government House in Dawson City. She went to England with her husband during the Great War, did war work, lectured on the Yukon, and returned to Canada to be the wife of a "backbencher" M.P., then to be a prominent Ottawa hostess when her husband became Speaker of the House; and now she is the second woman member of Parliament in the Canadian House of Commons. A story as strange as fiction, and more thrilling, for it is true.

"Nazi Primer" is the statement of the Nazis themselves and used as required reading for German youths. No indictment of Germany by her worst enemy could be more damning than the naive revelations of this book. The amazing thing, the thing that will spiritually nauseate modern readers of the democratic states, is the philosophy of the Third Reich.

"Peace Tour," by Rolph Malloch. This book is a true account of a minor experiment in idealism. It is the story of a peace tour to Japan undertaken by a band of young men and women from California a few years ago—of their high hopes of spreading better understanding between the two nations, of the realities that they encountered, of the rapid crumbling of their hopes, and of the disintegration of their journey into hilarious junket. Amusing as the adventures are in the reading, there runs between the lines a current of sharp, cardonic observation which makes "Peace Tour" valuably informative as well as entertaining.

"Refugees: Anarchy or Organization?" by Dorothy Thompson. A solution of the refugee problem is a crying necessity. Miss Thompson suggests one in this book, a practical financial plan, international in scope, which can relieve the pressure immediately. In addition to the plan, the book supplies a complete history of past refugee crises. It tells the story of the Nansen Commission, the part which the League of Nations has played, the successes and failure of experiments ranging from Birobidjan to Brazil, even the population needs of various frontier countries. It defines and discusses the "new frontier." It also accents vividly the menace to democratic society constituted by the forces which are responsible for the very existence of a refugee problem. It has an introduction by Hamilton Fish Armstrong, who is a member of the President's Committee and editor of Foreign Affairs magazine.

"Jewish Contribution to Civilization," by Cecil Roth. Dr. Roth unfolds the panorama of Jewish history and displays the great things which the secretive and restless nomadic people have achieved. For all who have an open mind this book should be a valuable corrective of the racial nonsense that is poisoning European thought. It should delight Jew and Gentile alike.

"We, Too, Are the People," by Louise Armstrong. In 1932 the author and her husband moved out to their Summer home in what had once been a rich lumbering district of Northern Michigan. When the Emergency Relief Administration established an office there, Mrs. Armstrong, because of previous experience, was put in charge. Her book is an account of her experiences among the destitute and the near-destitute and the jobless who came through her office down to 1936. Mrs. Anderson's manner and language, divorced from the technical, render her book popular in appeal. It constitutes a unique contribution to American social history.

"Power: A New Social Analysis," by Bertrand Russell. Bertrand Russell's purpose here is to prove that the fundamental concept in social science is power, in the same sense in which energy is the fundamental concept in physics. Like energy, power has many forms, especially military, economic, and propaganda forms. None is fundamental; none can be subordinated to other forms; none can be adequately studied in isolation. The laws of social dynamics can only be treated in terms of power in general, not of any one form, e.g. the economic. The book first enumerates forms of power; then considers various historical examples of the evolution of power, especially monarchy and theocracy, then examines the basis of power in individual psychology, and certain philosophies which are actuated by power motives. Finally, it examines the relation of power to human welfare, and the problem of the taming of power. Here is stimulating fare for the intelligent general reader—a vital aspect of civilization tackled by one of the leading social philosophers of our day.

"Fifty South to Fifty South," by Warwick Miller Tompkins. From fifty degrees south in the Atlantic to fifty degrees south in the Pacific there is a stretch of sea whose reputation for stormy weather is worse than that of any other part of the world. This is the famous Cape Horn passage. Since the digging of the Big Ditch this voyage has been avoided by mariners. But Warwick Tompkins cherished the ambition to sail westward around the Horn in his own ship. After years of preparation, in acquiring knowledge, seamanship and the procuring of a suitable craft, he successfully accomplished his wish in the schooner yacht Wander Bird. Against headwinds of gale and hurricane force, adverse currents and discouraging calms, Wander Bird was worked by a crew of ten, including the author's wife and two young children, over a course of 2,300 miles to make good 1,000 miles. It is a story unique in modern maritime literature, told with forthright honesty and fine gusto by a capable seaman.

"Fascism for Whom?" by Max Ascoli and Arthur Feiler, presents an account of the two Fascisms written by men—an Italian and a German—who have reason to know from experience the workings of these systems. At the same time the authors analyze the international character of Fascism and its threat to world peace and to American democracy. Today, international Fascism is represented by organized and potential political movements in many parts of the world. Where it is neither organized nor potential, the fear of it is enough to make liberal-minded people gasp. It has entirely changed the character of war and peace; since 1931 undeclared war and cancerous peace are everyday phenomena in our world. It is radically modifying the meaning of words, ideas and institutions, and has prompted a new and still utterly unpredictable course in the destiny of every nation. This book, the first on Fascism to come from the Graduate Faculty of the New School for Social Research, the so-called "university in exile," will be read eagerly by all who want to get at the roots of this movement and be able to cope with its developments.

Additional titles in non-fiction:

"Hitler's Conspiracy Against Peace," by S. Erckner.

"War Against the West—A Cross-Section of the Nazi Mind," by Aurel Kalnai.

"Bushveld Doctor," by Christian Frederic Louis Leipoldt.

"Where Seldom a Gun Is Heard," by Sir Anthony Banks Jenkinson.

"Sir John Simon," by Carl Eric Bechhofer Roberts.

"It's Draughty in Front," by Herbert Hodge.

"Amateur Guncraftsman," by James Virgil Howe.

"Stick-in-the-Mud," by Thomas Thompson.

"Refurbishing the Home," by Carl G. B. Knauff.

"Population Pressure and Economic Life in Japan," by Ryoichi Ishii.

"First Five Centuries of the Christian Church," by James Moffat.

"How to Become a Good Dancer," by Arthur Murray.

"Cook at Home in Chinese," by Henry Low.

"With the Corners Off," by Archibald Bruce Campbell.

"Last Five Hours of Austria," by Eugen Lennhoff.

MELBOURNE — St. Paul's Church of England raised £400 ($1,916) in a novel way. Faced with an outstanding debt on the premises, the church held an "ugly man's competition."

What is the difference between a cow and a broken chair? One gives milk and the other gives whey (way).

Ancient Mulberry Trees

THE houses in Whitehall Gardens have been pulled down to make way for new Government buildings, but the place is not to lose its mulberry tree, said to date from the time of James I. That monarch took an interest in silkworms. To provide them with mulberry leaves, he circularized his Lords Lieutenant in 1609, telling them that mulberry cuttings were available in London for three halfpence each or six shillings a hundred.

At St. James' Palace, where a mulberry tree in the garden still provides somewhat sooty fruit, King James started a mulberry garden. He also opened a silkworm farm on ground now part of Buckingham Palace garden. Its superintendent was paid $600 a year, but the farm failed. Another of James' mulberry trees still flourishes in Richmond Park, and the oldest in England, dating from about 1550, can be found at Syon Park, Isleworth.

Salting Down the Airlines

A LOGICAL outcome of the recent development in the use of salt as a stabilizing agent in the construction of modern low-cost highways is the adoption by Trans-Canada Airlines of this versatile mineral in the construction of runways at many of its airports and landing fields across the Dominion. According to an article by Flight-Commander A. H. Sandwell, which appears in the current issue of the magazine of Canadian Industries, Limited, 165 tons of salt were used recently in the construction of the three runways at the new Edmonton airport and it has been used also at the Calgary, Pagwa, Earlton and North Bay airports. Like the highways that have been treated in similar manner, the new runways should be remarkably impervious to the vagaries of Winter weather with its alternate periods of thawing and freezing, which play havoc with the ordinary unstabilized roadway.

Why does a duck go under water and come up again?—It goes under for diver's reasons and comes up for sun-dry purposes.

An Englishman's Home

By J. Edward Norcross

Air Raid Protection—Kinross By-Election—Ontario Quarrel—Emigration to Colonies—Parliament's Holiday—Fixed Prices—Court Decisions

LONDON (By Mail).—An Englishman's home is to be his castle in literal as well as legal fact. We are to return to the Dark Ages when the people of this country lived behind fortifications or had them handy for their protection when need arose.

Gas attack is being provided for adequately. Sir John Anderson, chief of the new Department of Air Raids Precautions, told the House of Commons just before the Christmas adjournment that our preparations against gas were far ahead of those of all other countries.

But, as Sir John went on to say, practically everything has yet to be done to protect the population from incendiary and high explosive bombs. So each home in the land is to have its bomb-proof shelter, proof, that is, against everything except a direct hit.

Most small houses, those in which the great majority of people live, have little backyards or gardens. Excavations are to be made in these and are to be fitted with steel units in the form of arches, on top of and beside which the material dug out will be piled. The steel structures will be so strong that people sheltering inside the "fortification" will be quite safe even though the house is blown down on top of it. Basements will be used where basements exist.

The Government will provide the "tin can" shelters for householders of small means, but those with incomes of more than $35 a week will be expected to pay for their own, as will also the owners of factories and workshops who are to be required by act of Parliament to make adequate provision of this sort for their employees. Even so, the charge on the national treasury is estimated at $100,000,000, the House was informed.

The work is to be got in hand at once. The necessary legislation will be introduced as soon as Parliament resumes its sittings.

The plan, Sir John said, was part of a short-term policy, a virtual intimation that a long-term policy might be expected later. This latter, it may be presumed, would deal with protection from direct hits and would mean deep underground shelters such as have been found effective in Barcelona. These are already being demanded.

Enemy raiders, however, may expect a warm time should they descend on this country. Sir Thomas Inskip, Minister for the Co-ordination of Defence, speaking in the Midlands, has announced that the Government has just formulated new plans for the larger production of the latest and best weapons to insure the fullest possible number and so obtain adequate protection against air raids.

Sir Thomas asserted that Britain's anti-aircraft defences were now the best in the world, that Britain had the best guns, and that the output of a newly-designed gun had attained almost its maximum point so far as existing capacity is concerned.

Furthermore, according to Sir Kingsley Wood, Air Minister, the monthly rate of aircraft production has been more than doubled during 1938.

The industrial front will be the chief defensive front in the next war and dungarees will be as important as service uniforms, Mr. Ernest Brown, Minister of Labor, said when moving a resolution in the House of Commons endorsing the voluntary service register.

As has been announced, the Government will distribute 20,000,000 handbooks within the next week or two setting forth the various defence services for which citizens may volunteer and also the key occupations in which those engaged in them should remain in the event of war.

Mr. Brown recalled that when he was a corporal stationed near London in 1915 he was sent to South Wales with an officer and in ten days they had recruited 30,000 miners for the army. Within nine months the whole army was being raked to obtain the return of those miners.

The resolution embodied a stipulation that the results of the scheme for national service should be reviewed by the House of Commons at the end of March.

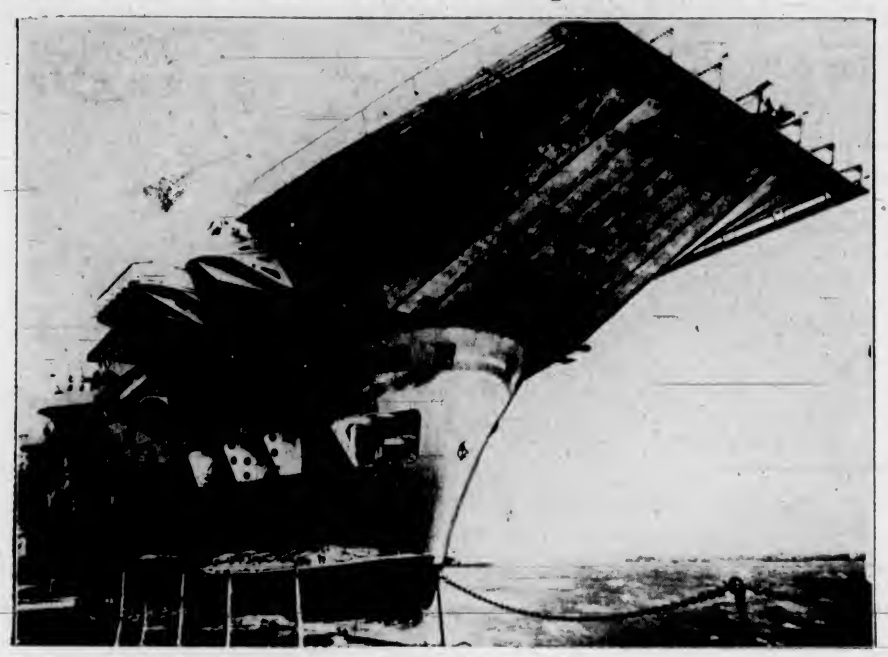
This provision puts it up to the Labor leaders to make the voluntary system a success. The Trades Union Congress, however, although the obvious alternative is conscription, which it has condemned, is advising its constituent organizations to suspend final judgment pending further discussions with responsible ministers.

The Daily Herald, the national Labor organ, however, declares that opposition to the National Register is "consistent only with the full pacifist position."

"Democracy is in danger and democracy is on trial," The Herald continues. "It faces external material dangers. It faces trial also at the bar of world opinion, as to whether or not it can stand morally firm against 'ideological' challenge. . . .

"The case for a voluntary National Register is thus in principle clearly overwhelming. Acceptance of that principle by the Labor movement no more means an endorsement of the Government's foreign policy than does Labor's demand for increased efficiency in our defence forces as a safeguard for our people."

But, after this outspoken defence of the National Register, The Herald provides a line of retreat for itself. Acceptance of the principle, it says, does not imply acceptance of the Government's scheme as it at present stands. The attitude of organized Labor, it concludes, will depend upon the replies received from the ministers.



FLOATING AIRPORT

Britain's Newest Aircraft Carrier, the Ark Royal, Shown Here at Portsmouth, England, Will Soon Be Commissioned for Service With the Fleet.

Duchess Defeated

MUCH to everybody's surprise, and, perhaps, most of all to that of the Government, the Duchess of Atholl was defeated in the Kinross and West Perthshire by-election, brought about by her resignation as a protest against the foreign policy of Mr. Chamberlain.

The Duchess had been member for the constituency for fifteen years and had held a parliamentary secretaryship in the Conservative administration of 1924-9, being the first woman of her party to attain office. At the last general election she was returned by 15,238 votes to her opponent's 10,069.

The result of the poll on the present occasion was 11,808 for the official Conservative candidate to 10,495 for the Duchess.

Almost everything seemed to favor the Duchess. There was the enormous Atholl territorial influence to begin with. She was very popular personally. Again, her resignation took the Conservative organization unawares and found it without a candidate, the nominee for the next general election declining to stand at such short notice.

The sole issue was that of foreign policy, and the opponents of the Government, Labor and Liberal, as well as dissident Conservatives, united in support of Her Grace. The outcome, therefore, is the most striking endorsement of his foreign policy Mr. Chamberlain has received from the electorate.

The election was fought in the worst possible weather, the redoubtable Duchess—she is sixty-four years of age—making her way about the constituency through snow and ice and never missing a scheduled meeting. The Manchester Guardian, Liberal, finds in the weather a possible cause of her defeat.

The Herald, Labor, grimly remarks: "The result does little to support the ease of those who would have the Labor Party desert its principles on the grounds that there are enormous numbers of Conservatives who, while they would not vote Labor, would welcome an opportunity of voting against the Government if 'Popular Front' candidates were put before them.

"The Duchess of Atholl has often been quoted as the sort of Conservative candidate such a 'Popular Front' might embrace.

"But the result has not come out according to plan."

It is agreed on all hands that the Duchess will be missed in the House of Commons, where she was greatly respected for her sincerity and public spirit.

Yorkshire Post

AMONG the few British newspapers which deem the affairs of Canada worthy of attention is The Yorkshire Post, one of the great provincial dailies which give a truer picture of British public opinion than can be gained from most of the big London papers.

After giving an accurate account of the differences that have arisen between the Prime Minister of the Dominion and the Premier of Ontario, The Post, in a recent issue, continues editorially as follows:

"For Englishmen this is strictly a domestic issue which Canadians must settle for themselves.

"But none with a sense of history can watch unmoved the controversy which now rages between the Liberal leader in Toronto and the Liberal Prime Minister in Ottawa.

"Behind it lurks the ancient quarrel between Upper and Lower Canada, for while Mr. Hepburn and his supporters in Ontario want to revise the British North America Act (several anomalies have crept in since its inception more than seventy years ago) the great neighboring province of Quebec certainly does not want the act to be altered.

"There is, however, a still deeper issue. Abraham Lincoln's great problem was to make a nation of the United States. Mr. Mackenzie King's task is to consolidate the nationhood of Canada.

"The difficulties are many. Geographical influences flow southwards. Always the geographical pull comes from the United States. Ottawa, like the railways and the highway which now run from Quebec to Vancouver, has 'to beat geography at its own game.'

"Mr. Hepburn's revolt is disquieting, like the crude financial experiments in that rich prairie province of Alberta.

"But Canadians are proud of their country. With his slogan of 'Canada First,' Mr. R. B. Bennett won the general election of 1930.

"If Mr. Hepburn's revolt develops into a crisis—and this the Scottish sense of the inhabitants of Ontario should prevent—there can be little doubt that the people of Canada will give their support to Ottawa, and not to Toronto."

Assisted Emigration

THE proposals advanced by Sir Henry Page Croft and others for assisted emigration to British Columbia were referred to briefly by Mr Malcolm MacDonald, Secretary for the Dominions, in the course of a House of Commons debate on emigration recently.

He said the proposals were now before the Empire Settlement Board and assured the House that, when Canada and New Zealand felt their domestic conditions allowed it, the Government would offer them the same goodwill and assistance as was now being given to Australia.

A Canadian-born member, Mr. Beverley Baxter, said that unless British peoples dominated the Empire, minority problems would be created for the future. The history of humanity showed that a country was not weakened by emigration.

The existing machinery for emigration ought to be scrapped, he continued, and something new and vigorous substituted. Exports to the Dominions and Colonies could be doubled by centralized management and the creation of "Empire Industry Limited."

This, however, could never be done so long as the House showed indifference to the Empire.

In all probability the Duke of Kent will succeed the Duke of Connaught as Grand Master of English Freemasons when the latter retires in March. The Duke of Kent has been nominated by Lord Stair, a Past Grand Master Mason of Scotland, an interesting proof, as The Times remarks, of the unity between English and Scottish Freemasons.

The Duke of Kent has also been nominated to succeed the Duke of Connaught as Grand Master of Mark Grand Lodge, while the Earl of Harewood, who for six years has been pro-Grand Master of the Order of the Temple, another of the higher Masonic orders, has been nominated for the Grand Mastership, the third of the great offices in Masonry held by the Duke of Connaught.

It is generally taken for granted that the several nominations will be followed by election and installation as a matter of course. It may be added that when the Duke of Connaught became Grand Master thirty-eight years ago in succession to his brother, King Edward VII, there were 2,860 lodges in all parts of the Empire on the Grand Lodge register. Today there are 5,060.

The Duke of Kent, as Governor-General Designate of Australia, will broadcast a message of greeting to the Commonwealth on Australia Day, January 26.

Another Empire broadcast, which will have a special interest for British Columbians, is that on "The Place of Books in National Life" by the Earl of Lytton, January 22.

The Earl's grandfather, Edward Bulwer Lytton, author of many successful novels which, as witness "The Last Days of Pompeii," are still read, was Colonial Secretary when the British Pacific Coast mainland was created a Crown Colony in 1859 and called British Columbia by command of Queen Victoria, later to be united with Vancouver Island.

The Lytton connection with British Columbia is commemorated in the name of the town at the junction of the Fraser and Thompson Rivers.

Christmas Recess

WHEN Parliament rose for the Christmas recess the political curtain was rung down on a situation believed to be unprecedented in British politics—a protest by several junior ministers against the continuance in office of certain members of the Cabinet.

It was reported at that time that a few days earlier Mr. R. S. Hudson, Parliamentary Secretary to the Department of Overseas Trade, had gone to the Prime Minister on his own behalf and on that of two of his colleagues, Lord Dufferin, Under-Secretary for the Colonies, and Lord Strathcona, Under-Secretary at the War Office, and had demanded the removal of Mr. Hore-Belisha, War Secretary, Sir Thomas Inskip, Minister for Defence, and Earl Winterton, Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster (who until recently had certain duties on the air side of the rearmament programme). Objection was taken also to Lord Runciman, Lord President of the Council.

Inefficiency was alleged respecting the first three and age in the case of Lord Runciman.

Mr. Chamberlain, of course, refused to take any action, and speculation, now that the holiday season is over, is rife as to what is to happen next. Clearly the junior ministers are in a delicate position, particularly Lord Strathcona, who, apparently, wanted to see the head of his own chief, Mr. Hore-Belisha, in the basket. Resignations would appear to be in order, but it is not known at this time of writing whether they have been asked for or tendered.

Obviously, the matter cannot rest where it is. The Liberal Nationalists, in particular, are incensed about it. Mr. Hore-Belisha and Lord Runciman belong to their wing of the Government supporters, while the rebels are all Conservatives. The Liberal Nationalists see in the move of the latter an effort to get rid of all "outsiders" and make the Government purely Conservative.

Pays to Britain

MR R S Hudson is the junior minister who lately told Germany that if it persisted in its unfair trade tactics in the Danubian countries Great Britain would take strong action and "beat it at its own game."

He has a large fortune which he inherited from his father. The elder Hudson made his money in soap and was so rich that a forger was able to steal $850,000 from his bank balance without it being noticed. For the last thirty years of his life he was domiciled at Monaco and, therefore, when he died his estate was not liable for death duties to Britain.

But Mr. R S Hudson reckoned up what he would have had to pay had his father lived in England and voluntarily made over the amount to the Exchequer—a fact lately discovered by a columnist on a Sunday newspaper and only now revealed.

Predictions of Cabinet changes are being freely made. There is some expectation of a general shake-up after Mr. Chamberlain returns from Rome, but it is likely that there will be no more reconstruction than has been looked for some time—principally the retirement of Lord Maugham, the Lord Chancellor, and the succession of Sir Thomas Inskip to the Woolsack.

In any event, while there may be some shifting of pegs from round to square holes, Mr. Chamberlain will pay little attention to the clamor of the rebellious junior ministers.

Standard Prices

EVEN the Conservative and Protectionist press is aghast at the latest demand made on behalf of the farmers, namely, that the Government should guarantee standard prices for each agricultural commodity.

"If profits, wages and 'an adequate return on the land' are to be guaranteed out of the public pocket, what answer can be given to the demand of coal mining or shipbuilding for similar benevolence?" asks the high-Tory Observer, which might have added cotton manufacture to its list were it not that, like the London newspapers in general, it ignores the plight of Lancashire.

The Observer continues: "Protection against overseas competition is one thing, and the guaranteeing of profits is quite another.

"With a guarantee on each commodity, the state must always be competing against itself—help to any one commodity raising expectation from every other branch.

"Whitehall price-fixing limits domestic competition and restricts efficiency. Price-fixing involves control of production and leads to political log rolling. It bleeds the consumer and is least suited to a country where mixed farming predominates."

Legal Decisions

WHILE English legal decisions, except those of the Privy Council, are not binding on Canadian courts, they are regarded with great respect by Canadian judges when cited by counsel.

For this reason car drivers in Victoria will be interested in a recent finding at the Manchester Assizes which awarded a woman $7,500 damages for shock following a road collision in which she was in no way involved but which she witnessed.

Mrs. Mary Agnes Smith, a widow, saw a collision between a car and a motor truck. After the collision, her counsel said, the car appeared to be going straight for her. She screamed and collapsed with fright and had to be taken to hospital. Her life was in danger for some time and she would be a lifelong invalid.

The judge held that both drivers drove without due care and attention and both were to blame. He therefore apportioned the damages and costs equally.

This, of course, is not the last word on the question. That will ultimately be said by the House of Lords. Meanwhile the insurance companies declare that, should the finding prove to be good law, rates will have to be raised.

Apparently the decision would mean that drivers might be liable, not only for physical injuries sustained by persons actually involved in an accident, but also for mental injuries proved by persons who merely saw it. Under such circumstances, the cost of third-party insurance, the liability being unlimited, might soar to fantastic figures.

Another motor car case seems likely to have unfortunate results for pedestrians. It has always been understood that pedestrians have the right of way at marked pedestrian crossings. A boy who had been run down on a crossing by a bus in London was awarded $1,125 damages, but the Court of Appeal reversed the decision.

Lord Justice Scott said the boy was guilty of negligence, and the finding is held to mean that a pedestrian must warn an approaching car of his intention to cross while the car is still at a reasonable distance.

It follows that if a driver is approaching a crossing at high speed he can always plead that the pedestrian he runs down did not give him warning in time for him to pull up before reaching the crossing.

Thus pedestrian crossings would become danger traps instead of safety zones.

The case will be taken to the House of Lords.

The World's Trade

WHEN British foreign trade had to be reorganized after the war, lost markets recaptured and, in particular, old customers enabled to resume their place as purchasers, the British Government set up a department through which it guaranteed payment for exports in approved cases.

To assist in this work an advisory committee was created which has since guided operations. The post of chairman of this committee called for financial qualifications of the highest order and it is no small tribute to Sir Sidney Peel, whose death has just occurred, that he had held the position from the first, giving invaluable services and by his wise foresight and counsel bringing about the great development of the department—to which Parliament has entrusted funds to the amount of $375,000,000 in the expectation that, after serving their purpose they will be returned intact to the Treasury.

Sir Sidney was a typical member of one of the great families which may almost be said to inherit the duty of governing Great Britain. He was a grandson of Sir Robert Peel, a very famous Prime Minister, and a son of Viscount Peel, one of the most notable of the Speakers of the House of Commons.

There never was a more dignified occupant of the Chair than Mr. Speaker Peel. A member once tried to get a rise out of him. He was introducing a new member whose name was Dazell, but was given as "Dazell" on the returning officer's certificate. He drew attention to the error.

"There's an 'l' of a mistake in it, Sir," he said.

"I beg your pardon, Sir," said the Speaker.

"I said there was an 'l' of a mistake," the member repeated.

"I have again to beg your pardon, Sir," came in awful tones from the Chair. "I mean the name is spelt wrong; there should be another 'l' in it," gasped the rash member, now thoroughly crushed.

No one ever again tried to be facetious with Mr. Speaker Peel.

The period was that when the Home Rule issue caused turbulent scenes in the House from time to time. On one occasion when the House was in committee there were actual fisticuffs. The chairman sent for the Speaker.

Mr. Speaker Peel took his seat amid a silence that could almost be felt. Mr. Gladstone, as leader of the House, stated what had happened and was followed by the leader of the Opposition, Sir Stafford Northcote, afterwards Lord Iddesleigh, another venerable statesman.

Both apologized in the name of the House, the Speaker's face wearing its grimmest expression as he listened to them. One who witnessed the scene said it was like the head boys at a public school accounting for some scene of disorder to the head master.

Select Committee

SOME of the oldest heads in Parliament have been named as members of the Select Committee appointed by the House of Commons to consider whether the Speaker should not be required to take part in contested Parliamentary elections.

It includes not only Mr. Lloyd George, the father of the House, with forty-two years' continuous service as an M.P., but Mr. Will Thorne, who, at eighty-one, is the senior member in point of age. Another member, Mr. Lansbury, is in his eightieth year.

Other experienced members are Mr. Winston Churchill and Mr. George Lambert, both members of Asquith Governments; Sir Hugh O'Neill, a former Speaker of the Northern Ireland House of Commons, and Sir Robert Young, Chairman of Ways and Means and Deputy Speaker in the two Labor Governments of 1924 and 1929-31.

One of the younger members, Mr. M. S. McCorquodale, was born eleven years after Mr. Lloyd George first became an M.P.

According to the report of the Royal Mint, just issued, the mystery of the disappearance of the new threepenny-bits is no nearer solution than ever. These coins of the twelve edges have gone into circulation to the number of 43,510,400 but one seldom sees one of them and nobody knows what has become of them.

When they were first issued it was rumored that they were without legal authority and therefore could be refused as legal tender.

Then it was asserted that they were to be withdrawn and reminted because a full stop had been used in the inscription instead of a colon; some hoarding resulted and fancy prices were obtained for specimens.

But even hoarding, and exporting as curiosities, and making up into bracelets and other ornaments, all taken together do not account for the scarcity of the threepenny-bits despite the issue of more than 40,000,000 of them.

Praises Native Doctors

A PLEA was made for the native "medicine men" of Natal by the Chief Native Commissioner at a recent Bantu (native race and language) conference in Durban, South Africa.

One aged native "medicine man" rose to say that he could cure lunatics with herbs, and the Government should give him a chance to prove it. His father and his father's father had been "medicine men" before him.

"Our confidence is vested in these people through their intimate knowledge of our habits and our natures," said the Commissioner. "We believe that they have a wide knowledge of herbs which is not possessed by trained medical men; also, that they are increasing their field of knowledge for the benefit of the natives at large. They are cheaper than doctors and more accessible."

Raise Workers' Ages

RAISING of the minimum age from ten to twelve years for light work and to fourteen for industrial employment is recommended by the Kenya committee on juvenile labor, set up by the British Government. The committee declares the worst feature of the problem is town life, many native children being casually employed in very bad conditions in Indian bazaars and also by Africans.

Returns to Bulb Horns

AS part of an anti-noise campaign, Bombay owners of automobiles must detach their electric horns by April 1. The ban is experimental for six months, but may become permanent. Although motorists will not be compelled to buy old-fashioned bulb horns, the order will have that result. It demands there should be some means of warning by sound on each car and that practically limits the field to the bulb horns which used to be honked in the days of feather dusters and gas lights. It is estimated Bombay motorists will be forced to spend $50,000 on bulb horns.

Suburb and Country

AGRICULTURE IS A FIRST PRINCIPLE: ON IT RESTS THE LIFE AND HAPPINESS OF MANKIND—Julian A. Dimock

Trees and Shrubs Which Add Color in Fall and Winter

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PART II

IN the Fall and Winter one is apt to give greater consideration to trees and shrubs which impart color to the landscape either through their foliage, fruit or bark. Flowering material only gives color for three or four months at the most. During the other eight or nine months the effect is often quite drab. For this reason the following list has been compiled in some detail. Many of these species are relatively unknown here. Some cotoneasters, like C. simonsi, C. microphylla, etc., will carry atractive fruit well into the Spring.

Colored Decidious Foliage

ACER—Maple. A. circinatum, rubrum, ginnala, saccharum, griseum, nikoense and in fact all the Japanese maples, the best variety of which is Osakazuki.

Amelanchier canadensis.

Cercidiphyllum japonicum. One at the Experimental Station at Saanichton colors well each year.

Cornus—Dogwoods. Cornus alba siberica, stolonifera, Nuttallii florida and Kousa.

Crataegus—Hawthorns. C. Crus-galli, Coccinoides cordata, prunifolia, tomentose, pinnatifida.

Fagus — Beech; Ginkgo — Maidenhair tree, Koelreuteria, Leriodendron — Tulip tree—colors a fine golden yellow; Liquidambar—excellent color; Malus—Crabapple; M. ioensis plena—Bechtol's Crab, M. torminalis, crataegifolia, arbutifolia, melanocarpa, triliobata, baccata—Red Syberian Crob, M. prunifolia var. coccinea, Nyssa sylvatica, Oxydendron arboreum Prunus avium and serrulata sachalinensis — the Sargent Cherry; Quercus alba, rubra, coccinea and its varieties splendens, Q. heterophylla, patustris and borealis, Salix magnifica, Sorbus aucuparia—Mountain Ash and its relatives, S. torminalis, aspleniifolia, rufoferruginea, Conradinae, discolor and hupehensis; Taxodium distichum, a deciduous conifer like the larch, colors beautifully each Fall by Goodacre Lake, Beacon Hill Park.

Shrubs Coloring in the Fall

Amygdalus—Almond.

Azaleas—Deciduous types.

Barberries—Many species with attractive colored foliage as well as berries—B. Thunbergi, Wilsonae, yunnanensis.

Cotoneasters—C. Bullata, horizontalis, etc.

Disanthus—Excellent.

Enkianthus.

Eucryphia pinnatifida.

Evonymus—Foliage as well as fruit, E. alatus, europaeus, yedoensis, planipes, bungeana, latifolia and alatus.

Forsythia.

Fothergilla monticola.

Hypericums.

Rhus or Sumac. Rhus cotinus, cotinoides, typhina, and in fact all the species of this genus.

Spirea Thumbergi and most types.

Viburnums—V. lantana, opulus, Henryi, tomentosum, acerifolium, pubescens dentatum, canbyi and alnifolia.

Ribes sanguineum (native).

Stewartia.

Nandina.

Photinia villosa.

Colored Bark

RED—cornus stolonifera (native), C. Alba siberica, Salix vitellina varieties britzensis. Cinnamon red—Pinus sylvestris, Scotch Pine.

White—Betula Birch, B. papyrifera, B. verrucosa and B. alba. Striped blue and white, Acer pennsylvanicum, Acer Davidii. Blue-White—Rubus biflorus and its variety Quinqueflorus, R. Giraldianus and Salix daphnoides.

Yellow, Salix vitellina, Forsythia.

The grey of our native Alders like that of the Beech is not to be despised. For best effects, dogwoods and willows should be cut heavily each year to encourage new wood which colors better than the old.

Berried Trees

Evergreen: Holly, Arbutus and Yew.

Deciduous: The Crabapple, Hawthorns and Mountain Ash provide the most of the colored tree fruits in winter. The best of these are: Crataegus, C. carrieri, Arnoldiana, rotundifolia, coccinea, cordata crusgalli, Korolkowi, macracantha, mollis, orientalis, prunifolia, punctata, tanacetifolia, tomentosa, oxycantha and nitida, Sorbus aucuparia—Common Mountain Ash; S. Pratti Esserteauiana, Pohashanensis, Malus baccata—Red Siberian Crab, M. toringoides, Sargenti, Sieboldii var. arborescens, floribunda, prunifolia var. coccinea and Ringo.

Berried Shrubs

EVERGREEN or semi-evergreen: Cotoneasters—tall C. bullata, salicifolia, Henryana. Medium, C. Simonsi, zabelli, applanata. Small or prostrate, C. prostrata, congesta, humifusa, microphylla and its variety thymifolia, Symphoricarpus orbiculatus, Indian Currant, foliage dark green almost persistent, berries wine colored; Pernettya mucronata, fruit like snowberries in shades of white, purple and crimson, a low evergreen liking acid gravelly soil.

Deciduous: Berberis—barberry. B. Wilsoni, Coryi, aggregata, Thunbergi, Pratti, polyantha, rubrostylis and named Barberries Autumn Beauty, Coral, Comet, Fireflame, Sparkler. Cotoneaster adpressa horizontalis, Franchetti, frigida, divaricata and multiflora. Evonymus—most of these lose their berries early but some carry them until heavy frost. Evonymus europaeus, Bungeana, planipes and latifolia. Pyracantha—Firethorn, some are semi-evergreen, all are particularly useful for covering walls. P. Coccinea—red fruit, and its variety, Lalandii with orange red fruit, P. Crenulata—fruit orange red, a more tender variety. Its variety yunnanensis has smaller coral-red fruit. Rosa—Rose, besides wild species both native and exotic, some of the cultivated varieties bear attractive fruit. Climbing Daily Mail is a good example. R. Rugosa, Moyesii, Fargesii, etc. Viburnums, V. theirifera, V. dilatatum, etc.

Vines Which Color in Fall

AMPELOPSIS Veitchii—Boston Ivy. One of the best—clings to walls. There is also a useful form with leaves smaller than this type. Ampelopsis quinquefolia—Virginia Creeper. Colors better than Boston Ivy, but does not cling to walls. Vitis Coignetia, Thunbergi, Armata var. Veitchii, all very colorful species of grape. Celastrus — Bittersweet. Celastrus scandens and C. orbiculatus.

Broad-Leafed Evergreens

Andromeda.

Aucuba (dioecious) — Bears attractive cherry-colored fruit in early Spring, likes shade, stands drought. Leaves green or variegated.

Veronicas in variety.

Azaleas and rhododendrons.

Erica—Heathers. Besides the evergreen types. Some have very attractive copper and golden foliage—E. ciliaris aurea, E. c. Golden Drop and Golden Hue, E. vulgaris aurea and E. v. Serlei aurea.

Conifers for Winter Color

THE list is too long to be given here, but a selection is best made by visiting a good nursery. Cryptomeria japonica elegans and Chamaecyparis pisifera squarrossa nana are two desirable types which turn an attractive color in the Winter.

Winter Flowering Trees and Shrubs

Andromeda.

Camellia.

Cornus mas.

Cydonia—Quince.

Daphne mezereum, in white and rose, Daphne cneorum, D. odora in a sheltered place and D. Blagayana.

Erica carnea and its varieties, particularly Vivelli, Springwood White, Springwood Pink, King George and atro-rubra.

Erica mediterranea and its improved hybrid E. darleyensis.

Forsythia suspensa Fortunei.

Hammamelis—Witch Hazel, H. Mollis is the best.

Lonicera fragrantissima and L. Standishii.

Mahonia aquifolium—Oregon Grape.

Prunus amydalus—Almond.

Prunus mume—Peach.

Prunus Subhirtella autumnalis, an excellent Winter-flowering cherry in mild seasons, rare.

Rhododendron praecox and Christmas Cheer.

Viburnum tinus — Laurestinus; Viburnum fragrans; Ulex—Gorse.

In mild seasons many others will bloom early, including the barberries, B. Darwinii, B. stenophylla, B. buxifolia, B. verriculosa.

Other Wall Covers

Akebia—Quinata.

Clematis—in variety.

Ceonthus—Gloire de Versailles.

Choisya ternata.

Hedera—Ivy—particularly varieties of Irish Ivy, which is less rampant than common ivy.

Hydrangea petiolaris.

Forsythia.

Jasminum — Jasmine. J. officinale—white flowers; J. nudiflorum, yellow flowers; J. polyanthum, pink flowers.

Lonicera—Honeysuckle.

Laburnum—Best of which is the species Vossi.

Polygonus baldshuanicum.

Pyracantha—See list under berried shrubs.

Climbing roses in variety.

Wisteria floribunda and W. sinensis.

Cotoneasters—C. simonsi will cover a large area and will berry under shady conditions.

C. horizontalis, C. prostata, and in fact most of the dwarf evergreen cotoneasters can easily be trained to cover walls.

Space forbids a detailed list of flowering trees and shrubs. This necessitates passing over much useful material. Following are a few of our best trees and shrubs for general home planting.

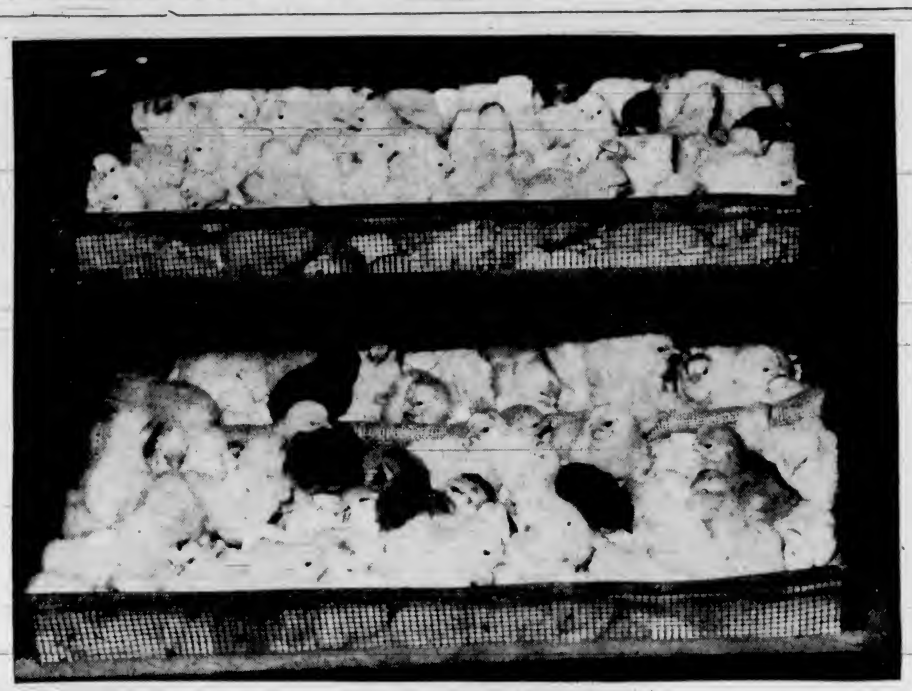
Flowering Shrubs

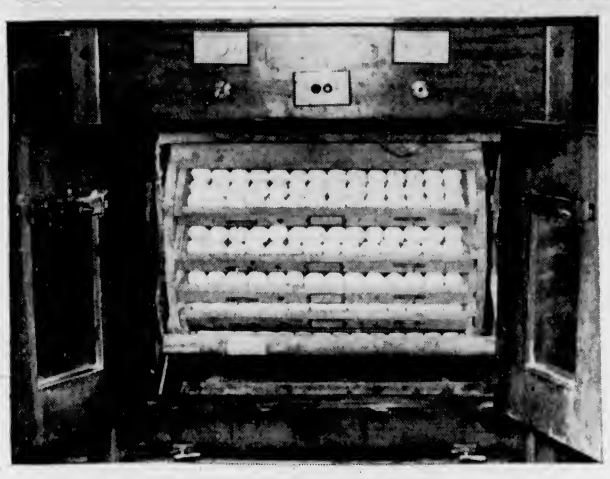
BARBERRIES, Cotoneasters and Pyracanthas. See forementioned select lists for Autumn color and fruit. Andromeda, A. floribunda and A. japonica, Aucuba japonica for shade. Azaleas—horticultural varieties. Camellias for sheltered spots. Ceanothus—Gloire de Versailles, Henri Defosse and Marie Simon. Cytisus—Broom. Few of the named varieties of the common broom look well at a distance. The colors are not clear cut. Cytisus albus and C. praecox are amongst the best tall sorts. Excellent dwarf types—some are prostrate and useful for rockeries. C. Ardoinei, C. Beanii, C. kewensis, C. versicolor, C. purpureus. Genista—Broom. G. pilosa, G. horrida, G. radiata, G. hispanica and G. tinctoria, var. flore plena. Daphne, the most fragrant of all shrubs. D. Mezereum and D. cneorum are the best, but D. odora, which is somewhat tender and D. Blagayana are also good. Deutzia discolor var. major, rosea carminea, Monbeigii, setchuensis corymbiflora, D. gracilis and its varieties exemia, campanulata, D. longifolia and its variety Veitchii, D. purpurascens and its hybrid, D. kalmiaflora, D. scabra (D. crenata) and its varieties, Waterer, Pride of Rochester, candidissima and magnifica, D. vilmorinae, D. Wilsonii and D. pulchra. Erica—Heathers. Species and varieties of various colors, form and habit are obtainable which will bloom throughout the whole year. E. cinerea will grow in dry hot sandy soil, E. tetralix and E. ciliaris will grow under semi-bog conditions.

Winter blooming sorts have already been mentioned, but there are others which will supply continuous bloom throughout the whole year. A list of named varieties is impossible here. It is recommended to see a local nurseryman, at least one of which specializes in up-to-date varieties of heathers.

Evonymus—E. europaeus, alatus, latifolius and yedoensis. Forsythia suspensa, var. Fortunei, is the best of the genus. Its golden flowers herald the Spring and is very effective with bluebells planted at its feet.

Fuchsia riecartonia. Hydrangeas. Used for late Summer and Fall bloom. H. Hortensis and its many varieties and H. paniculata, var. grandiflora. Kolquitzia. This is E. H. Wilson's Beautybush. Flowers are pink. It deserves wider attention. Magnolia—M. kobus, Soulahgeana and its varieties; M. conspicua and stellata. Pernettya mucronata. Philadelphus Mock Orange or Syringa. P. delevayi, P. pubescens, P. incanus, P. microphyllus, latifolius, insignis, Lewisii grandiflorus, P. lemoinei and its single and double varieties, Albatre, Avalanche and Girandole, Bette Etoile; P. Gordonianus—our own native Mock Orange. Rhododendrons—horticultural varieties. Rosa-Rose. Besides the named varieties there are many very fine species. For persistent flowering plant habit, the polyanthus varieties cannot be beat. I particularly recommend Mrs. Finch, which I understand is being propagated by H. M. Eddie & Sons, Ltd., Sardis, B.C. Spireas—Aitchisoni, arguta, japonica and its varieties bumalda, Anthony Waterer and glabrata, S. margaritae, Menziesii, var. triumphans, prunifolia flore plena, Vanhoutei, Veitchii, bullata, canescens and trichocarpa. Syringa—Lilac. These like lime and resent shade. Dr. Mirabel, Pasteur, Souvenir de Louis Spaeth, Charles X, President Grevy, Condorcet, Mme. Lemoine, Michael Buckner, Ellen Wilmott, Lamartine, Katherine Havemeyer, Vestale, Marechale Foche, Mme. F. Morel. Viburnum, V. carlesi, bitchvense, tinus and pubescens. Most viburnums are too large for small gardens.





HATCHING SEASON WILL SOON BE HERE

These chicks in the chick trays of a Saanich incubator are among the first of thousands that will be hatched this Spring, the number increasing steadily from now until the peak of the season in April and early May. The bottom photograph shows the reloaded incubator.

Growing New Hollyhock Plants From Shoots

WHILE hollyhock plants are in bud and bloom you notice the appearance of basal shoots—fresh, succulent stuff having every youthful quality.

When the flower stems die down, these basal shoots persist. During Winter they make little or no progress. Yet when Spring comes they cheer up and grow successfully.

Have you ever realized that these basal shoots provide a certain and excellent means of increasing the stock of those hollyhocks you fancy?

The young plants are more vigorous than their parents, and less liable to be buckled up by rust disease, a consideration of no mean importance.

With the greatest care remove the soil from around the roots. The best tool for the job is a hand-fork.

Soon you will find the origin of the shoots. Cut them off with a sharp knife, taking care not to damage the few succulent white roots with which they are provided. Having taken the stock, cover up again quickly.

The Double Varieties

AS a rule, shoots taken from double kinds are more vigorous than those from the singles. In any case, you must plant each offset in a pot of appropriate size.

At the bottom of each pot place one inverted crock, covered with a little rough stuff from the compost. After potting firmly, and watering through a rosed can, stand the hollyhocks in a light cold frame as near the glass as possible.

Ventilate them on all favorable occasions, sprinkle a little lime amongst the pots to keep away slugs, and water only when there is real need.

Under these conditions the hollyhocks will more than hold their own until the New Year, after which there will be a spurt, and by mid-March you will have splendid stock ready for the flowering positions.

By the way, don't when taking the shoots entirely strip any plant. If there are three, take two. If there are more than that number, leave two shoots on the parent.

Advises Leaving Lawns Untouched in Winter

By FRED BENNETT

IT is much better to leave lawns entirely alone in Winter than to do work on them, that is, at least, valueless.

If the grass has turned yellow, the probable cause is that the soil is improperly drained, the roots of the grass are immersed in stagnant water, the yellow tops are the result. Tile draining in the Spring is the remedy.

The many reasons given for using fertilizers on grass during the Winter have not impressed me as reasonable. It cannot be too forcibly stressed that the Winter is Nature's period of rest; whatever disturbs that rest, it can be unsatisfactory soil conditions, extreme temperatures or strong stimulants, such as artificial fertilizers, is definitely injurious.

Intended for Growth

THE time to use fertilizers is in the growing season, when the roots are active; then fertilizers are a food and are beneficial. For sick or dormant plants they are a poison.

An article by a United States scientist impressed me by its simplicity. This article first separated grasses and, well, plants and weeds. It pointed out that under natural conditions grass grew most abundantly in moist places where the soil was generally acid. In these places there was a minimum of weeds; on high and dry ground the conditions were generally reversed. The conclusion was that sour soils were more favorable to grass than to weeds and that nitrogen fertilizers were the best to use on grass. Lime was especially mentioned as unsuitable for grass.

Results From Fertilizers

THE use of fertilizers has been a much discussed subject for years, but as knowledge of fertilizers increases through experimentation more facts are obtained. One important point which deserves more emphasis than in the past is that increased results from fertilizers are obtained when the humus content and the physical condition of the soil are kept on a high level, also, when the crops grown suit the P.H. condition of the soil, which means the relative acidity of alkalinity.

One of the main reasons for the greater results from fertilizers in most of the European countries, than in Canada is due to the thorough and intensive farming practiced in Europe. Thorough drainage of the land, proper rotation of crops; and the growing of cover crops to improve the physical condition of the soil and to supply humus are in common practice there almost everywhere. The result is that per unit of plant food applied the profit from the use of chemical fertilizers is much increased.

Cover for Shady Banks

PERIWINKLE is one of those accommodating plants that grow and bloom with little attention. It is for this reason that we make special mention of it as a useful shady bank coverer.

The position is one for which ideas are always welcome. It does not matter whether the shade is thrown by overhanging trees or a wall, you can depend on periwinkle giving a good quick cover.

It is, of course, an evergreen trailing shrub.

The two kinds we recommend are coerulea flore pleno, bearing charming double blue flowers, and aureo variegata, with yellow variegated leaves and white flowers. They make a grand combination.

This is an excellent time to plant. Space four feet apart after digging and manuring moderately; and the shady bank, now perhaps bare and uninteresting, will become a no-worry feature of which you will have good reason to be proud.

Electric Fences For Pastures

THE introduction of the electric fence into Canada has been received with much interest, and it is gradually becoming more widely adopted for fencing pastures, states H. J. Kemp, Dominion Experimental Station, Swift Current, Sask. This type of fence has many advantages, but at the same time caution is necessary in establishing the equipment. Research and further investigation will, no doubt, improve the safety features, its efficiency and general range of usefulness.

The advantages of an electric fence are briefly enumerated as follows:

1. Reduces the cost of erecting temporary fences.

2. Reduces expenditures for wire, posts and gates.

3. Reduces injury to livestock.

4. Especially adapted to winding coulees or temporary pasture areas otherwise impractical to fence.

5. Enables the use of untillable land in fields that otherwise might be wasted.

Three types of electric fence controls are in use. Two employ direct current of either six volts or thirty-two volts. The third uses alternating current of 110 volts. Regulations do not always permit connecting the alternating current electric fence controls to commercial or rural light and power lines. The six volt direct current battery type is considered the safest devices to use.

Direct electric current of six volts may be supplied to the battery operated types by either four dry cells, a hot shot battery, or a wet storage battery. The fence control equipment increases the pressure of the current from six volts to a range of from 350 to 30,000 volts. This high voltage is delivered to the fence wire at a very low volume of from ten to fifteen milliamperes at regular intervals of fifty to sixty times per minute. The intermittent application of electric current conserves the battery current. This intermittent current, together with the very low amperage, are excellent provisions for safety. High voltages applied at amperages higher than fifteen to twenty milliamperes are regarded as dangerous to both humans and animals and competent advice is recommended where any doubt exists.

Safeguards Necessary

SOME makes of electric-fence controls include means to increase or decrease the voltages to suit wet or dry soil conditions, a meter for testing the battery and means to indicate short circuit in the fence line, a lightning arrester and a condenser to reduce radio interference.

As a rule, one or two wires are used for the electric fence to carry the electric current. One wire is sufficient for horses and cattle. The wires are considered preferable for pigs and sheep. Barbed wire is more suitable than smooth wire, although the latter can be used where barbed wire is especially objectionable. The wire can be supported by porcelain insulators on two-inch by 2-inch stakes set in the ground thirty to forty feet apart.

Animals as a rule need a little training to keep away from the charged fence. Observations at the Dominion Experimental Station at Swift Current show that they learn surprisingly quickly and keep away from the fence for long periods even when such a fence is not charged. A thirteen-plate wet battery was used and the electric fence was operated throughout the Summer months for pasturing cattle. The cattle were well controlled, no harm was done to either cattle or the attendant and the battery was still charged at the end of the season.

Canadian Jersey Holds Many World's Records

THE banqueting of the Jersey cow, Calgarth Starlight, to celebrate the breaking of the Jersey world record for total lifetime production has been the stimulent to bring before the public all the world's records, not only in British Columbia, but also in other parts of Canada and the United States.

The imported Jersey cow, Brampton Basilua, has just completed her sixth R.O.P. record, which gives her a number of Jersey world records, as well as records over all breeds of dairy cattle. She has the distinction of having more banquets held in her honor than for any other cow.

She holds the Jersey world record for butterfat for one year with 1,314 pounds of fat.

She holds the world record over all breeds for two consecutive records made on three times a day milking with 2,564 pounds of fat.

She holds the world's record over all breeds for three consecutive records, whether milked three or four times daily, with 3,803 pounds of fat.

She holds the world's record over all breeds for four consecutive records with 4,795 pounds of fat.

She holds the world's record over all breeds for five consecutive records with 5,698 pounds of fat.

She holds the world's record over all breeds for six lactation periods with approximately 6,400 pounds of fat.

Her average production for six consecutive records is 1,065 pounds of butterfat.

She weighs only 950 pounds.

A Page for CHILDREN

The Year's Festivals

St. Agnes' Eve

"WHATEVER can we have for dinner tonight?" demanded Mrs. Mathilda Maxton of no one in particular. "I know," shouted Madge, rushing into the kitchen, "a picnic; one of our real Winter-round-the-fire wiener-roast picnics. Do let's, it's such fun. Aunt Maimie would love it, I'm sure she would."

"Yes, I'm sure she would," agreed Aunt Maimie, leaving her cosy armchair, and coming to join the discussion in the kitchen. "I'm not quite sure what it's all about, but a picnic, my! that sounds like a wonderful idea to me; ambitious, too, considering the weather," and her eyes traveled to the window. Soft snowflakes drifted silently out of the darkness against the shining panes.

"Oh, Auntie, not outdoors; just a make-believe one round our own fireside," and Madge gazed a little reproachfully into Aunt Maimie's merry twinkling eyes.

"Yes, Mums, do let's," added Mudge.

"Do let's;" echoed Midge.

"Well," laughed Mother, looking around the eager group," it would be hard not to agree, so suppose you clear the decks for action."

"Whoopee, whoopee," they chorused, seeing who could jump highest into the air as a suitable method of showing their approval.

"And Aunt Maimie will tell us another story, I know she will," happily sang Madge, as she nearly tumbled head-first into the very special cupboard where all the picnic things were kept in neat little piles just ready for such an occasion as this. Meanwhile, Mudge transformed the living-room, pushing the Chesterfield and chairs away back to the walls. He cleared a big space in front of the hearth. Midge trailed in with a huge sheet of brown paper he had got from Madge, which he spread over the hearth rug; then along came Madge with a picnic cloth with holly border to spread on top. Midge struggled with armfuls of cushions which he arranged on the floor around the cloth, while Madge set out the picnic cups and plates. Mother and Auntie piled dishes of rolls, wieners, mustard pickles, cookies, apples, all the good things for a picnic onto a big tray for father to carry in, and they settled themselves on the cushions, even father folding up his long legs with pretended groans, to the delight of Midge; while Madge handed round napkins to match the cloth, and Mudge grandly presented toasting forks. Each one took a roll and a wiener and proceeded to toast. Minnie and Matt looked on, sniffing expectantly, and just in case you "disbember," as Midge says, Minnie is the Maxton cat and Matt is the Maxton dog.

"Now wasn't that a grand picnic?" Mudge wanted to know, almost before he had swallowed his last mouthful, and Matt, who had disposed expeditiously of his share, licked up the last crumb.

"Wonderful," agreed Aunt Maimie, accepting a pull-up from father, who, having unwound himself with a great deal of mirth-provoking fuss, stood up and gallantly proffered each lady a helping hand.

"No washing-up," cheered Madge, joyously making a blaze with the paper dishes. All was cleared away in a twink, and Aunt Maimie began her story.

"Long ago, tonight was a very important night to young maidens," she paused and looked around, the children drew their cushions closer to her feet.

"Why, Aunt Maimie?"

"It is January 20."

"Oh, I know, I know," and Madge jumped up in her excitement. "It's St. Agnes' Eve. We read all about it in school. We've got to learn parts of Keats' poem. Her name was Madeline, too, and Miss Jones let me take her part when we dramatized it."

"Well, so it was, how perfectly splendid," laughed Aunt Malmie. "This is where I sit back and listen, and you tell the story, Madge. Fire away."

"Agnes was a lovely Roman girl. She was a Christian, martyred on January 21, A.D. 304, when she was only thirteen. A church was built in her memory at Rome and they keep up an old custom on this day of blessing two lambs. It survived from an older pagan festival to the god of the sheepfolds, just like you told us about the other festivals, Auntie, and there are legends about her in Cornwall. One tells us she was so pure and good, that when devils tempted her, she looked them right in the face and they were turned into great stones on the moor between St. Piran and St. Agnes. She was the patron saint of young girls, and a long, long time ago it was believed that the maiden going supperless to bed this night would dream of her future husband, and Keats wrote a romantic poem about it.

"'St. Agnes' Eve—Ah, bitter chill it was!
The owl, for all his feathers, was acold;'

"Doesn't that make you just feel the cold? Then he tells about the revelry in an old baronial hall, perhaps in one of those ancient ruined castles Mums and Dad have seen in England. The old dames had told the story to Madeline,

"'Whose heart had brooded all that Wintry day,' and
'She sigh'd for Agnes' dreams, the sweetest of the year.
So purposing each moment to retire,
She linger'd still. Meantime across the moors,
Had come young Porphyro, with heart on fire
For Madeline. Beside the portal doors,
Buttress'd from moonlight, he stands, and implores
All saints to give him sight of Madeline.'

"Can't you just see him there, alone in the dark outside the great door in the cold grey stone wall. He ventures in and hides behind a hall pillar. They are making so much noise with their revels no one sees him but Madeline's own elderly dame. It's such fun to think of them creeping along when you know it turns out all right.

"'Follow me, child, or else these stones will be thy bier.
He followed through a lowly arched way,
Brushing the cobwebs with his lofty plume,' to a little moonlit room.
'Now tell me where is Madeline,' said he.

"He persuades the old dame to hide him in a closet in Madeline's chamber. She slept, and he took her lute and played a gentle melody till she waked.

"'This is no dream, my bride, my Madeline;
'Tis dark: the iced gusts still rave and beat:
Hark! 'Tis an elfin-storm from faery land,
Of haggard seeming, but a boon indeed:
Arise—arise! The morning is at hand;
The bloated waissillers will never heed:
Let us away, my love, with happy speed;
For o'er the southern moors I have a home for thee.'" She hurries.

"Down the wide stairs a darkling way they found.
In all the house was heard no human sound.
Like phantoms, to the iron porch, they glide;
By one, and one, the bolts full easy slide:
And they are gone: aye, ages long ago,
These lovers fled away into the storm.'

"There," and Madge sat down.

"I like it where they are getting away," said Mudge. "Wouldn't it have been awful if they'd stumbled into something, like me backing into the fire irons yesterday?"

"I like the name Agnes, it always makes me think of Agnes in 'David Copperfield,' and you told it very well, Madge," said Auntie.

"And so say all of us," added the family.

Brightening the Stars

Said Wizard Wong: "I may be wrong,
But all the stars tonight
Appear a trifle pale and faint,
And so a coat of silver paint
Will put the matter right;
If only I can do the trick,
And put the paint on good and thick,
It's sure to make them bright!"

Not being tall, but rather small,
He fetched a magic ladder,
And mounted it with smile so glad,
The stars all said: "The man is mad!
He couldn't well be madder!"
And so he painted them that night,
And though he made their faces bright,
He left them feeling sadder!

—Moreen Sinclair, in Tiny Tots.

What is the difference between a starving boy and a greedy one? One longs to eat and the other eats too long.

EIGHT LITTLE SOLDIERS ALL IN A ROW!

They look like toy dogs children love to receive as Christmas presents, but actually they are live and sober French poodle pups born at the home of Miss Madge Fletcher in Regina during the holiday season.

Alligators "Sold Down River"

By BERT SACKETT, in Dumb Animals

EVERY year as the stream of tourists, anxious to escape the rigors of northern Winters, throng into the State of Florida, another stream of traffic begins its sorrowful and tragic way out of the state. Baby alligators, bought as souvenirs or "pets," are shipped away in every mail and express train. Most of these unhappy creatures die miserably of cold, neglect or hunger.

The excuse given in defence of this cruel and useless fad is that alligators are vermin which deserve extermination or that they are so plentiful that shipping a few away will not make any difference.

Formerly these interesting and inoffensive relics of prehistoric life were plentiful in the swampy coastal regions of the Carolinas, Georgia, Florida and the Gulf States. Now they are rapidly nearing the point of extinction. Ruthless slaughter of literally millions of 'gators by hide hunters was the "big drive." Hide hunting still goes on commercially, and added to this every "sportsman" who comes upon an alligator while he has a gun in his hands, feels that he is entitled to a shot. Hundreds die this way without even the poor excuse of furnishing a hide, countless others crawl away wounded to linger on in misery for days. On top of these attacks the young alligators are hunted out, captured and exposed for sale. These last two practices are the "mopping up" tactics of the army of extermination.

The war on alligators has been very successful. They are already practically extinct in the Carolinas and Georgia. They are becoming scarce in Florida, which has established a refuge for them in the southern Everglade region, but indifference and ignorance have practically nullified any actual protection.

Alligators are sluggish, timid animals and will always attempt to escape when approached. The only time alligators will attack is in defence of their nests, and this is certainly justifiable.

"Sportsmen" have claimed that alligators, feeding as they do principally on fish, destroy bass fishing. State conservation officials have proved that this is ridiculous. Actually the alligator feeds on fish which prey on the young and eggs of the bass and so may properly be classed as a conservator.

The female alligator lays up to sixty creamy white eggs at a time on a "nest" composed of alternate layers of mud and plants. The heat of the decomposing vegetable matter incubates the eggs. Mother alligators will defend their nests against animal and bird robbers, but they are helpless against the man armed with a gun.

Tourists and Floridians can do much to halt the march of extinction by refusing to buy, sell or ship baby alligators. Sent out of their native environment, alligators are literally "sold down the river," because that is just another way of saying that they have been sent into conditions where misery and death are almost certain.

He Loved Birds and Animals

By AMELIA WOFFORD, in Dumb Animals

ONE Winter day a young English boy carried into his home two ladybirds. He put them in a box padded with cotton wool, labeled "Animals Found Surviving in the Depths of a Severe Winter."

The boy was Robert Browning. The ladybirds were an addition to his collection of hedgehogs, magpies, monkeys, owls and snakes. He had also an eagle, two dogs and a pony.

Another interest was the speckled frogs that lived in the strawberry beds behind the house. He so missed them when confined to the house by sickness he would refuse to take his medicine unless they were brought in for a visit to him.

He never neglected his pets. When they ailed he would bring them to his mother for medical treatment. Sometimes he brought them in for her to admire.

He loved stories about animals. And so keen was his sympathy for the creatures that figured in them, should the ending be unhappy, to spare his feelings the reader would invent a happy conclusion, however unlogical.

Visits to the menagerie for "foreign birds and beasts" were another delight. He would stand for hours before the cages, watching the inmates. But the thought that they missed their freedom and longed for it interfered with his full enjoyment of his visits.

Remarkably precocious, Browning may have seen in the eyes of the grand lion, the chief wonder of the show, the recollection of the "palm-tree-edged desert" and the longing for it, which he pictured in the wide, unmoving eyes of the lion in his poem, "The Glove," and sorrowed with him.

This love did not stay behind him with his boyhood. It abided with him through life.

In his London home, established after the death of his wife in Italy, he kept a large white owl, and in the garden two tame geese. As with Sir Walter Scott, birds and animals must have sensed his love for them; for the geese would come at his call and nestle against him, and when on his last visit to Italy, when taking his daily walks along the roadsides, his low whistle would bring running to him the little lizards that abound in that country.

He was vice-president of the Victoria Street Society for the Protection of Animals. He was also active in the anti-vivisection movement.

"I would rather submit to the worst of deaths, so far as pain goes, than have a single dog or cat tortured on the pretence of sparing me a twinge or two," he said in a letter to a zealous associate in this merciful cause.

The Girl Next Door

THERE is an old lady who has been bedridden for years. She lies in a little back room and from her window sees nothing but dull houses. Few people ever visit her, and her life has much loneliness and little thrill in it.

The other day a visitor found her radiant. "Listen," she said, and the visitor stood listening. From somewhere near came a rich, sweet voice, and after one or two songs we heard the old hymn, "Count Your Blessings."

The old lady smiled. An old man and his granddaughter had come to live next door, she said, the girl about seventeen, with a lovely voice. Every morning she opened the kitchen window and sang while she was washing up and doing the vegetables, and to the bedridden old lady it was better than a concert.

Not the Right Keys

"Mr. Typewriter, please lend me your keys,
For in that big cupboard I think I smell cheese."
The machine in amazement looked haughtily down
And on his broad face he wore a big frown.
"My keys," he said proudly, "aren't common, young mouse,
Go, borrow the kind that you want from the house."

Whenever morsels of fish are thrown out from the Ramsgate, England, fish market, there's sure to be a flutter of seagull wings.

A Deer "Uses Her Head"

By E. E. WATSON in Dumb Animals

SOME time ago, while fishing in Indian Creek, in Missouri, there came a series of hard rains, almost cloudbursts. We were camped on high ground, so it did not wash us away. The water in the usually small stream rose very fast. Between downpours I went to the creek to see if a small island was yet flooded. This little island was about the middle of the stream, the latter now being a deep, raging torrent.

During some other flood a large log, with its branches, had lodged against a tree, some three feet above the rocky island. I noted that the water was now almost up to the top of this log. But what was so surprising to me was that a large doe was standing on the solid island with her hind feet, while her front feet were on the log. What was still more surprising, she had managed in some manner to get her little fawn up on the log, and was steadying it with her head. The baby did not appear to be more than two or three days old, for it was very wobbly. I felt pity for both animals, as I knew that the water would go at least two feet higher before it stopped rising.

The current was not so wide nor so swift on the other side of the island, but I could see no way to save even the fawn, though I felt the doe would be able to swim out, were it not for her baby.

None of us could have made it half way to the submerged island from our side. The others came down to me at my call. We could watch, but we could not help. That mother deer had not given up—far from it.

The island and the tree on it had formed a sort of eddy so that the current was far less swift there. When it evidently became apparent to the mother that the water would continue to rise, especially when a new downpour started, she deliberately pushed the fawn off the log and, before it could sink or float down stream, secured a firm hold on the loose skin along its back with her teeth and struck out, swimming and holding the fawn in such position that its head was above water, for the opposite shore.

And she made it, too. She carried the baby clear up to the rocky shore and even helped it along to the timber, for it was, seemingly, too wobbly to walk. That was intelligence plus mother love, and we were thrilled at the sight!

Hans Andersen

YOU have all heard of Hans Andersen, haven't you? And most of you will have read, or have had read to you, his wonderful fairy tales.

But did you know he started making up stories when he was very young?

Hans was born in Denmark 133 years ago. His parents were very poor and lived in a single room. Here his father worked as a cobbler.

One corner of this room was used by Hans as a playroom, and there he made toys from pieces of waste leather and rags, shaping them into animals, birds and fishes.

He talked and sang to them and they became real to him and full of life.

Hans made a little toy theatre, and fashioned dolls to imitate the actors on the stage.

Then with his splendid voice and flashing eyes he would recite their lines to his proud audience, his loving father and mother.

With his school friends the boy was a great favorite. They were always ready to gather round him while he told them tales of the captured princess and of the gnomes that lived in the mountains.

In his fanciful mind everything became human.

The flowers, the birds and even the little tin soldiers could walk, talk and see and hear.

His father died when Hans was eleven years old, and so he was taken from school and sent to work.

Some time afterwards the king heard of him and became interested in this gentle story-teller, and sent him back to school to complete his education.

When Hans had finished his schooling the king gave him a sum of money, and with this he traveled through many countries.

He wrote his first book when he was twenty-four, and six years later Hans published his wonderful Fairy Stories, which are read and beloved by children all over the world.

Your Own Puppet Theatre

IF you have ever seen puppets perform, I am sure you have been filled with a longing to have your puppets and a theatre of your own. Well, this is how you set about it.

If you want to make your puppets quickly, you can just take the wooden head of a doll and attach a dress to it, or carve the head out of a piece of wood and paint it in bright colors, but the most exciting and messy way is to make a paper mask. Get some plasticine and model a face on a piece of board or glass. Make the eyes deep, add the nose, and some small rolls for the lips and eyebrows, putting a small ball in each eye. Don't forget to model a little for the front of the neck.

When the face is finished, take two different colors of tissue paper and cut them into strips about one and a quarter inches long, then using some of mother's plain flour, mix a paste and carefully cover the face with strips of tissue paper. Press them on gently and put smaller strips round the eyes and nose. Continue pasting on the strips so that they overlap, and cover all the face until you have done seven layers. Then put it in a warm place. When the mask is dry, remove it from the board or glass and scrape out the plasticine with a penknife; it does not matter about scraping it all out. Then paste more strips on the inside, especially round the nose, and you will have a good strong mask.

Dressing the Doll

YOU now fasten the mask on to a piece of loofah, which forms the back of the puppet's head, sewing on cardboard ears in their right places at the same time. Use wool for hair, and your puppet head is now complete. So paint in the eyes, lips and cheeks.

Now get some odds and ends of strong material and cut out a plain sacklike dress. Push a piece of cardboard tubing up inside the loofah to form the puppet's neck and fasten on the dress with cotton and glue it with seccotine. In the sleeves fix two more pieces of tubing, and for the hands sew on gloves cut without fingers like a baby's mitten. Now put your first finger up the neck, and your thumb and second finger into the sleeves and waggle them, and your puppet will come to life.

For the simplest theatre, drape a clothes horse with curtains, and hiding yourself inside, stick the puppets over the top. Get them to sing and dance, and say funny things, then give a performance to your family and friends, and I am sure they will be greatly amused.

The Camera

A CAMERA is a very wonderful instrument, but actually the principle on which it works is quite simple—when you understand it.

There are certain chemicals which turn a different color when light falls on them. The brighter the light, the more rapidly does the color change. It is one of these chemicals which is used in making films.

If you were to unroll a film in daylight and then develop it, you would find it had become a dense black—like some of your spoilt snaps. It is necessary, therefore, to allow only a certain kind and amount of light to act upon the film. The shutter and lens of the camera sort and limit the light in the necessary manner.

A simple experiment will show you how the lens works. Take a cardboard box and make a hole with a pin in one end of it. Now raise the lid slightly so that you can peep in at the inside of the other end, and point the hole at the electric bulb or other bright light. You will see an inverted image of the light on the opposite "wall" of the box. Now enlarge the hole; the image will be brighter but blurred. A lens enables a large amount of light to pass through while keeping the image clear.

When you press the shutter-release the shutter opens for an instant in the case of a folding camera for the length of time at which it is set, and in the case of a box camera for about one-twenty-fifth of a second. The lens catches up all the rays of light from objects in front of it, sorts them out into their correct degrees of brightness, and passes them on to the film.

Dark objects do not reflect as much light as bright ones, and therefore do not act as rapidly on the film or plate. This is why the bright parts of your picture appear dark on the negative and the dark parts light.

Riddles

What has no legs yet can run very fast? Water.

What has one leg and a heart?—Cabbage.

Which are the hottest letters in the alphabet? K.N. (cayenne).

I know a lady who wears a green dress, red petticoat and has black eyes. Now can you guess who she is?—Watermelon.

What is it that if you lose is not worth finding?—Your temper.

When is a horse clever than a mouse? When it runs away in a trap.

Great Britain and the Dominions Overseas

Foul Play Ruled Out After Investigation Of Cornish Mystery

Exhaustive Tests Made After Parts of Woman's Body Found on Sands—Case May Never Be Solved Despite Close Study

LONDON (BUP).—A record in criminal investigation was established when five Government Departments co-operated with Scotland Yard in investigating a Cornish mystery which had become known as "The Riddle of the Sands."

Two legs and other parts of the body of a woman were found on a Cornish beach near Truro, and murder was first suspected. But now it looks as though the mystery may never be solved, and foul play has been ruled out.

Detectives investigating the mystery called upon the resources of experts at the Admiralty, the Air Ministry and Home Office, the Board of Trade and the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries.

They consulted the greatest expert in the country on tides, another on currents and a third on wind. They studied the migratory habits of mackerel, crab, lobster and other flesh-eating fish.

They found that last year Government officials threw 145 drifting bottles into the sea in various parts of the English Channel, and seventy-nine of these were washed ashore near the beach where the woman's remains were discovered.

ANOTHER THEORY TESTED

Because they thought that the remains might be those of a woman who disappeared from the liner Empress of Britain off the English coast last September, the detectives obtained plans of the ship and worked out in theory how she might have gone overboard and been cut to pieces by the propellers.

The coast near the beach where the remains were found is dotted with disused mine shafts. The detectives several times threw objects of the same size and weight as an average woman down a shaft to see if these would be washed to the beach, but they found that the drainage from these pits ran zig-zag to the sea and there was not enough water to wash the body down.

It is believed that no other death mystery ever investigated has required so much research and scientific test, and still no solution has been obtained or is likely to be obtained. If it was murder it was the perfect murder, but detectives declare that they do not believe that it was murder.

SHARE-PUSHER GOES TO JAIL

John M. Firth Had Varied Career Before Landing Behind Bars

LONDON (BUP). — The last "big shot" in the share-pushing racket in England is now behind the bars. He is forty-year-old John Marsden Firth, ex-soldier and ex-circus clown, once worth $1,000,000, who has been sent to prison for four years.

Born in Lancashire, Firth joined the army at fifteen, but returned to his family's well-established cotton business as a prodigal son some years later. Finding sound business palling, he gambled in cotton futures and won $1,000,000.

He used to walk about with pockets filled with bank notes, and was famed for his generosity. He kept luxurious yachts, gave lavish dinner parties at which the flowers were specially flown from France at a cost of $750, and this high living soon reduced him to $350,000.

With that sum he came to London, where he squandered it in riotous living and bad investments. Then, for a time, he turned to pantomimes, which he staged on a seaside pier.

CLOWNS IN CIRCUS

Gradually he lost all his money, and from owning and racing horses he found himself reduced to a clown in a circus, with his home in a showman's caravan.

Then he turned to share-pushing. He started a financial paper in which he attacked the shares offered by the arch-swindler Factor, who escaped to the United States after swindling the British public out of thousands.

Factor got annoyed, and bought off Firth with $25,000. Although agreeing to stop his attacks, Firth only produced about 100 dummy papers for Factor's benefit, while continuing to circulate the paper as before with the attacks.

Then Firth got into the share-pushing "swim," and he has admitted obtaining $1,250,000 from the investing public.

WARNS WHEN CAR NEEDS ATTENTION

Invention Simplifies Motoring by Presenting Tickets to Drive When Service Required

LONDON (BUP).—The newest invention to simplify motoring is a small oblong box called "The Callboy."

It is fitted in a car, and at measured intervals it presents the driver with tickets stating the service attention the vehicle requires. The driver then hands each ticket—as it appears—to a garage, with the request that the work be carried out. If he is an expert he himself does the work.

The mechanism inside the box is operated and governed automatically by the car's movement. When the car stops the "callboy" stops registering, and resumes when the car starts again. Thus the "running time" only is recorded.

The vibration of the car operates a sensitive pendulum. The "clock" is set to release each ticket after a stated interval of "running time."

At present one of the chief complaints of car manufacturers is that the forgetfulness of motorists concerning correct servicing of their cars results in abnormal wear and dissatisfaction to the owners.

"The callboy," it is felt, will encourage garages to equip themselves with more modern service machinery.

REMBRANDT FAKE IS VALUED AT $10,000

LONDON (BUP).—"Angel Appearing to Gideon," a Rembrandt fake, which was sold into three great collections, is now being exhibited in London.

It is now owned by Dr. N. V. Backstitz, a Dutch collector, who brought it to London with other masterpieces of the fourteenth and fifteenth centuries which are now on exhibition at Knoedlers Galleries. Dr. Backstitz found that the picture was not a Rembrandt when he sent it to be cleaned by a famous specialist at The Hague.

Although it is a fake, the picture is still worth more than $10,000.

DEFINES DUTIES OF COMPANY EXECUTIVE

LONDON (BUP). The duties of an executive were outlined by J. Dyer Simpson, general manager of two insurance companies, at a meeting of the Insurance Institute in London.

All an executive had to do, he said, was to decide what is to be done; tell somebody to do it; to listen to reasons why it should be done in a different way; to follow up to see if the thing was done; to inquire why it has not been done; to follow up a second time; to discover that it has been done incorrectly; and to consider how much simpler it would have been to do it himself.

Enjoy Hearty Laugh at London Circus

Miss Mary Churchill Breaks Out Into a Hearty Laugh at Clownish Antics, While Attenting a Circus Performance in Olympia Auditorium, London. Her Famous Father, Winston Churchill, British Politician and Author Manages to Hang on to His Cigar.

Severe Restrictions On British Railways Subject of Campaign

Ancient Regulations Prevent Competition on Equal Terms With Other Forms of Transportation—Modernization Sought to Avert Crisis

LONDON (BUP).—There is a crisis in British railways, and the great railway companies have "cleared their lines for action." The whole of Britain is being subjected to a ceaseless campaign to impress upon the public the gravity of the crisis.

Leaflets, pamphlets and posters on the public hoardings in their hundreds of thousands demand a "square deal for the railways."

"Essential in peace, vital in war, dare we let the railways die?" is the slogan of the companies.

Falling revenues and restrictions imposed by Parliament nearly a hundred years ago, which prevent competition on equal terms with other forms of transport, are claimed to be the reasons from which the crisis has developed.

FINANCIALLY IN DANGER

The railway companies—the Great Western, the Southern, the London & North-Eastern, and the London, Midland & Scottish Railways—declare that they are the only railways in Europe which have not received a subsidy from the taxpayers to make it possible for them to carry on. But today the railways are financially in danger, it is claimed.

In a pamphlet entitled "Clear the Lines!" the companies' case is stated.

"What exactly is the nature of the danger to the railways?" it is asked. "Why is it that the British railway system, which for a hundred years has been and still is the most efficient in the world, suddenly finds itself in difficulties so serious that an urgent remedy is imperative?

"It is because restrictions were put on them in the days when they had a monopoly of transport. Some of these laws were passed over a hundred years ago. Today, the railways no longer have a monopoly. They are challenged in every field by vigorous competitors who labor under no restrictions.

SAYS BASIS UNFAIR

"The extent and rapidity of the growth of the competition is demonstrated by the fact that the number of lorries of the type that compete with the railways has doubled since 1930. And so, today, when British industry and the national defence require that every form of transport shall function at its best, the railways are held back and are forced to enter into this severely competitive field on a completely unfair basis."

So far as the rates that the railways may charge are concerned, these are laid down in a most elaborate way by Acts of Parliament. Every conceivable article is listed in a classification of merchandise. They are divided into no less than sixty-six classes. Each article must be entered over and over again in different classes. If it is forwarded in small quantities it is in a low class; if it is forwarded in large quantities it is in a higher class. The classification varies according to the packing and according to a score of other conditions. It is no wonder that, under such a system, the "General Classification of Goods by Merchandise Train" runs to over 400 closely-printed pages of a large-size book.

This system originated more than a hundred years ago, and was intended to safeguard traders against overcharging. Today the railways claim they have no monopoly, and are prohibited from competing by reducing their rates beyond a certain point without the sanction of the Railway Rates Tribunal.

LEFT WITH DIFFICULT JOBS

"Your prices are controlled by a court of law, it costs you endless time and trouble to raise them if your expenses go up; you cannot reduce them as you like to meet competition, your competitors can find out all about your transactions, while you know nothing about theirs, you see your competitors take profitable jobs, while you are left with the difficult and unprofitable ones," the pamphlet states.

The restrictions, the companies say, have prevented them from earning what Parliament in 1921 considered a fair annual revenue. Taking into account the $6,000,000,000 spent in building up the whole British railway system, Parliament in 1921 decided that the railways ought to earn an annual net revenue of $260,000,000.

But between the years 1930 and 1937 the number of goods motor vehicles of two tons unladen weight and over increased by 97 per cent.

This is the reason given by the railways why they have never been able to earn $260,000,000 annually.

The railways want the removal of the restrictions and, in the words of their statement to the public: "The railways, feeling that both in their interests and in those of the nation, immediate action must be taken, have asked the Minister of Transport to consider their suggestions and take legislative action at once."

BIG SPENDING AGENCY

The railways in Britain employ nearly 600,000 men and women and their annual bill for wages and salaries is about $500,000,000. They buy annually 15,000,000 tons of coal, 14,400,000 cubic feet of timber, 5,000,000 sleepers, 250,000 tons of steel rails, 18,400,000 bricks, 9,000 tons of paint, 2,350,000 yards of cloth and 7,240,000 gallons of lubricating oil.

In 1927 the railways carried 1,215,648,000 passengers and 286,617,000 tons of freight. Their total engine mileage was 594,864,000 miles. The railways spend $100,000,000 annually on maintaining and renewing permanent ways, signals and buildings, and $115,000,000 on locomotives, carriages and wagons.

BISHOP OF LONDON PLAYS HOCKEY

Dr. A. Winnington-Ingram, eighty-year-old Bishop of London, right, bullying off in a field hockey match between the Marlburians and Hadley College at Fulham Palace, the Bishop's residence. Despite his advanced age, the popular Bishop still retains his athletic prowess.

"Powder Monkey" Acts as Lookout

LONDON (BUP).—The "Powder Monkey" gang were blamed for robbing two safes in the Maidenhead district in one day.

The appearance of the "Powder Monkey" and a big robbery seem to go hand in hand. The nickname has been given by Scotland Yard to a girl accomplice of a gang of crooks, whose operations are nationwide.

While her confederates are on the inside, she sits outside in the car, powders her nose, uses her lipstick, pencils her eyebrows. In this way she warns them when things are getting dangerous, when all is clear, and when to make a getaway.

EATEN ALIVE BY INSECTS

Mystery of Fate of Aboriginal Dwarf Solved at Darwin

DARWIN (BUP). — The mystery of the fate of Wirrecoo, hideous little aboriginal dwarf, has been solved. He was eaten alive by ants.

Wirrecoo was once a notorious figure in the wilds of Northern Australia. He was a monstrosity with the head and torso of a man, but with thin, twisted legs which could not support him without the aid of two sticks. He stood only four feet high and had a crippled mind as well as body.

Normally such a dwarf would have been killed at birth by his tribe, but Wirrecoo's mother worked at the police station at Lake Nash, and the dwarf grew up under the protection of the police, always resisting invitations to go with his fellows into the bush because he knew it would mean his death.

SHOWED NO GRATITUDE

Although the aborigines frankly hated Wirrecoo, they would bring him gifts because they regarded him as a devil to be placated. The dwarf accepted the offerings but never showed gratitude, for whenever anyone passed near him he would curl himself into a ball and spit viciously.

One day the police officer at Lake Nash, returning from a patrol, found Wirrecoo missing. Suspecting the truth, he hunted for the dwarf but could find no trace of him. Time passed, and the policeman was moved to another station in a distant district.

Now, it is reported in Darwin, he has by chance just discovered the truth of Wirrecoo's end. The policeman was recently visited at his new station by a former resident of the Lake Nash district. As the two men discussed the old days, Warrecoo's name was mentioned.

TELLS OF DWARF'S END

At this the aborigine who was working as house boy and attendant to the visitor grinned and said:

"My plenty savvy longa Wirrecoo. Ant bin eatum."

Questioned, he told in the strange pidgin English of the Australian aborigine, the terrible fate of the black dwarf.

The native cheerfully described how the black fellows had lured Wirrecoo away, tied him up and dropped him head first into a tree stump and watched while ants ate the dwarf alive. The aborigines did not regard this as murder, for they would not spear Wirrecoo for fear that he was a devil.

WIDER POWERS FOR CANBERRA

Australians to Be Asked to Authorize More Centralized Government

CANBERRA (BUP).—A referendum at which the people of Australia will be asked to give the Commonwealth Government much wider powers is likely to be held in 1939.

Premier Joseph Lyons recently stated that the Commonwealth was determined to press forward promptly with a non-party appeal for additional powers, and a special session of the Federal Parliament will be held before the referendum to deal with constitutional reforms.

The constitutional session was suggested by James Scullin, the former Labor Premier, who said that sooner or later Australians will be forced to adopt a unified system of Government, and that people should be given the opportunity of deciding whether Australia in future was to be ruled by one sovereign Parliament.

REFORM IS IMPERATIVE

"Reform of the parliamentary machine is imperative," said Scullin. "After thirty-eight years of the Federal system of government, no thinking man is satisfied with the results. With a population of seven millions we have seven sovereign parliaments, seven governors, seven overseas representatives, seven public works departments, seven police forces and so on.

"Duplication and overlapping cause unnecessary delay and heavy cost, and bring ridicule on the parliamentary system. Sooner or later Australia will have to adopt a unified system, similar to Britain, New Zealand and South Africa."

The Attorney-General, Robert Menzies, announced the decision to hold a constitutional session. He described as fantastic the division of powers between the Federal Government and the six states, and said that because of this ridiculous limitation of the Federal Government vital national problems were held up.

MUST HAVE ONLY BENEFICIAL JOBS

Home Office Bans Boys of Fourteen And Under from Harmful Work

LONDON (BUP). — Boys of fourteen or under in Great Britain this year will be able to accept only jobs that are "beneficial," according to a Home Office ruling.

Jobs which are not regarded by the Home Office as "beneficial" include marker or attendant in a billiards or bagatelle saloon, lather boy or similar occupation in a barber's shop; kitchen work in a cook shop, fried fish shop or eating house, work in a slaughter house, collector or sorter of rags or refuse and attendant or assistant in any premises or fair ground used for public amusement by means of automatic machines, shooting ranges, games of chance or skill.

The list has been issued because of the act which comes into force this year raising the school leaving age to fifteen. After that employers who wish to engage a boy of fourteen must satisfy the education authorities that the employment offered is "beneficial."

Juvenile Crime Causes Studied By Commission

Parental Neglect Through Lack of Discipline and Over-Discipline Found to Be Important Factor in Waywardness of Boys—Children's Use of Public Libraries Being Studied

By GLANVILLE CAREW

LONDON (BUP).—Why do boys go wrong? That is a question in the answer of which the Prison Commissioners are naturally very much interested, as are also many publicists and others concerned with the welfare of the body social. Here are some of the conclusions reached by two investigators which are published in the Prison Commissioners' report just issued.

They investigated the records of 1,106 boys—taken presumably at random—and it does not appear that gangster films, crime stories, billiard saloons, etc., play so great a part in the manufacture of juvenile delinquents as seems to be generally believed. Out of the 1,106 cases only twenty-eight were found to have gone wrong from the following causes: Girls, eight; gambling, seven; pictures, six; drink, four; dancing two; crime stories, billiards, one. In 219 cases parental neglect, lack of discipline and—be it noted—over discipline were the determining cause of trouble.

"Trouble with step-father is a frequent source of mischief. A number of failures were due to upbringing by women alone."

TOO MUCH TO SPEND

Too much pocket money was found to be a frequent cause of disaster. "One lad," says the report, "had £4 ($20) a week . . . got into fast set, drifted into forgery."

Unemployment is in itself found to be the cause of much moral evil.

Then there is mental backwardness. There are instances of "inconceivable ignorance" on which state education seems to have had no effect whatsoever; lads who cannot tell the time, who do not know the year in which they live, and one who thought the Prime Minister was Lord Kitchener.

Incidentally, there emerges what seems to be quite a common custom among boys of the classes from which most of these young offenders spring — "the custom of . . . saving trouble and time in the morning by removing as little clothing as possible at night is the most baffling and persistent of all . . . sudden raids on dormitories have revealed lads in bed fully dressed to their boots."

CHILDREN'S READING

An inquiry of another sort has just been conducted by one of the public libraries which are maintained by practically all the London boroughs (and for that matter by provincial towns too). The purpose was to find out just what books and types of books children from eight years to fourteen years of age prefer out of those they have to read. Eight hundred children of Bethnal Green gave their preferences without adult influence.

Some unexpected things were revealed. The books by "Richmal Crompton" about "William" were first favorites; then came the "Milly-Molly-Mandy" series; the "Biggles" books ran third and were followed by Dickens—mainly "Oliver Twist".

"Tom Sawyer," "Alice in Wonderland" and "The Water Babies" were very well in the running, but old favorites such as "Pilgrim's Progress," "Robinson Crusoe," "Treasure Island," "Huckleberry Finn" got only one vote each.

And, what is just as surprising, neither "Tom Brown's Schooldays" nor "Ivanhoe" scored a single vote.

SIMPLIFYING REGULATIONS

In these days we are very keen on having our Acts of Parliament, income tax and similar official documents couched in the simplest language so that they may be easily "understanded of the people." Indeed, a sort of committee sat for a long time, and may be sitting still, engaged on making official English clear.

Here is what the Ministry of Health has produced in connection with the Local Government (Superannuation) Act:

"The sum payable by an employee in order to secure in respect of one year of the non-contributing service which he is entitled to reckon on the material date a superannuation allowance at a fraction of his average remuneration larger than one one-hundred-and-twentieth but less than one sixtieth or a superannuation allowance consisting of an annual sum at a rate of a fraction of his average remuneration larger than one hundred-and-sixtieth but less than one eightieth and a lump sum equal to more than one sixtieth of his average remuneration but less than one thirtieth is that proportion of the amount calculated in accordance with the last preceding paragraph which the difference between the fraction chosen and one one-hundred-and-twentieth or one-hundred-and-sixtieth as the case may require, bears to one one-hundred-and-twentieth or one-hundred-and-sixtieth as the case may be."

Anyhow, that will give the simplifying committee something to go on with.

DUPLICATION IN DWELLINGS

Although the average of the suburban type live in dwellings which are reproduced by the builders in hundreds of thousands of houses which are hardly distinguishable one from the other except by the tenants, there are some exceptions to be found in London of dwellings which have no duplicates.

Here are some of them:

A man and his wife and daughter live in an apartment at the top of a 100-foot high water tower with windows in each of its eight sides; neither London's noise nor dust nor dirt ever penetrate that home.

Then there are several homes made in railway stations which have been abandoned because the tides of traffic have changed their course; the waiting rooms have been altered a bit and become living-rooms and the ticket offices turned into kitchens. A railing along the edges makes the platforms safe places for the children to play.

And the great Triumphal Arch on Constitution Hill by Hyde Park Corner houses a gatekeeper. In it there are a living-room, two bedrooms, a kitchen, scullery—and a basement, all at the top!

HOW TO CLOSE THE DOOR

Telephone boxes have been the subject of remarks in the House of Commons recently.

A member complained about the new telephone boxes in the corridors; he asserted that when a member sits down in these boxes he cannot close the door. The complainant may have thought that there is danger of official secrets escaping.

The First Commissioner of Works — Sir Philip Sassoon — seemed to think that the outsize of the complaining member might have something to do with this. The member in question weighs 238 pounds avoirdupois.

Well, Sir Philip, who weighs about half that score, went—feeling sceptical—to see for himself; he found that even he could not shut the door if he first sat down nor open it unless he first stood up.

So each box is now to bear a notice:

"Will members please stand up before closing the door and then sit down."

CHAMPION DOG AT OLYMPIA SHOW

Sitting [illegible] Beside His Newly Acquired Cup, "Exquisite Model of [illegible]" Was [illegible] After Winning Champion Dog Honors at the Olympia Kennel Club Show, London.